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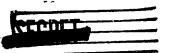
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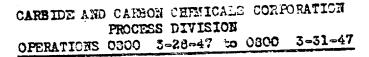
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#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - The stage pressures in the X-304 section were adjusted to the new building optimum pressures Setween 0820 and 1125 on March 28.

The following changes were made:

Building	From	To
K-304-1		
-2		
<b>-3</b>		
-4		
<b>-</b> 5		
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The interplant flow rate to H-27 was incommed, from 1030 to 1530, and the crude feed rate was cut by the same about during this period in order to move excess inventory from F-500 into the cascade, which accountlated as a result of the building pressure optimizations to date.

The converter and valve seet replacement program was completed in K-302-1 when cells 5,2 and 6 were returned to cascade operation at 0825, 1445 and 1550, respectively, on March 29,

A product withdrawal unit has been installed on the cell floor of K-305-1 between cells 4 and 6. It is expected that mithdrawal of side product will be started on March 51. Test runs have been made from the stand.

Overloads resulting from the K-402-7.2.6 control valve sticking closed tripped several cells in K-402-7 and K-402-8 on overcurrent relay action, starting at 1515, March 30. When this cell (K-402-7.8) was by-passed, down-stream inventory shifts necessitated the isolation of building K-402-7 and K-402-6 to prevent further cell overloads. K-402-6 was returned to case cade operation at 1630 and K-402-7 at 1700. The cells that had been shutdown were on-stream by 1715. The control valve in K-402-7.8 was repaired and this cell was on-stream at 1845.

The consumption test in K-800-8.8 cas continued through this report period.

The monthly plant inventory will be taken at 1899, Thronk 37 a

It is expected that building N-200-2 will be simplement april 2 for the installation of convertors tubed with N-27 and for the installation of P-10 seats in the major building block values.

The atream efficiencies of the appearables vescade were:

Day Ending 0300	Colleiency
3-29-47	99.7%
3-30-47	79.5%
3-51-47	<b>∂9</b> ,₹¶

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### PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

From 0700, 3-28-47 To 1300, 3-31-47

	Three day	Daily Avg. This Worth	To Date This Wonth	Stock Storage
PRODUCTION - EgT 0-2035 0-5327	11.002		100.232 <b>68</b> 886.8 <b>50</b>	798354.124
USAGES - KeT 1-25 Waste 0-616 0-936	2401.070 4207.78		14321.959 40894.06	8tock <u>Feed Rm. &amp; Storage</u> 95325.928 77110.65 1913.83 76663.94
8-50 Waste 0-934 0-5327 0-5331 0lass B	921.570	· · ·	12643.509 4139.860 10.096	223.96
SHIPMENTS - KgT 0-2035	9,687	•	94.549	
	Day Ending 0700,3-29-47	0700.3-30-47	0700.3-31-47	Daily Avg. This Month
INTERPLANT FLOW  Leg T  L-402-9.3	2822 5521.621 3360525	2822 3381617 1140-13	2822° 8871526 1180347	2821 3351.614 3350294
PURGE RATES-Sof/day E-312-1 (Top) E-312-2 (Side)	3225	31.32	3103	41.77
OOHC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 × 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 × 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>
Total V. F. Total 120 V.F.	139.6 4.9	139.9 4.9	1 <b>39.</b> 9 4.9	137.8 4.9
Q=74 AND DRY AIR=Scf/ Q=74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	28.5 4900 12300	39.0 5000 11000	33.3 4900 10200	37.0 5040 10180

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#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - Recent studies have shown that a building-wise pressure optimisation would result in an increase in over-all plant productivity. Accordingly all building pressures, above K-302-1, will be adjusted to the calculated optimum pressures within the next ten days.

The start of this program was effected at 1415 when the pressure of K-302-5 was changed from The following changes have been made:

Building	Time
	1415
K-302-5	1540 to 1700
K-302-4	1540 to 1700
K-302-2	1730 to 1845
<b>K-302-3</b>	1855 to 2005
K-303-1	1855 to 2005
K-303-10	2025 to 2130
K-303-2	2025 to 2130
K-303-9	2135 to 2235
K-303-3	2135 to 2235
K-303-8	
K-303-4	2245 to 2400
K-303-7	2245 to 2400
K-303-5	0010 to 0230
K-303-6	0010 to 0230

Cells 3 and 8 and the building lines of building K-302-1 were returned to cascade operation at 2210 on completion of the converter and block valve seat replacements. Cell 7 was on-stream at 0350, and cell 4 at 0755. These cells were put into service at the new optimum pressure for the building,

At 0800 the condition of the remaining cells was:

Cell 6 - conditioning Cell 5 - charging

Cell 2 - conditioning

The consumption test is continuing in K-306-5.4.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 98.7%

#### Standard Operating Procedure

Sanitary Mater Emergency - This procedure outlines the order of consumer reduction which will be effected in case of a sanitary water emergency, requiring a reduction in consumption. Such an emergency might originate by a failure as a result of a line break, low pressure in the system, or a low storage supply.

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### DAILY PROPUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 9700, 3-28-47

		Daily ATE.	To Date	Stock Storage
PRODUCTION - XeT	3.201		89.230 64078.737	794471.0
C-5327 <u>USAGES - KeT</u> K-25 Waste C-616 C-936	<b>2404.364</b> <b>607.</b> 224		11920.889	Stook  7994 Rm. & Storner  97724.851  52917.21  1913.83  76663.94  223.96
S-50 Waste C-934 C-5327 C-5331 Class B Material	463.599		11722.039 4139.860 10.096	
SHIPMENTS - KeT C-2035	3.180	-	84.852	
INTERPLANT FLOW  KgT  K-310-3.7  K-402-9.3	2822 5541663 6640523	2821 1111610 1120321		
FURGE RATES-Sef/da K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	<b>3</b> 087	4 <b>291</b>		
CONC. C-616 IN PURCE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10	6 1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>		•
POWER LOAD-NY Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	138.0 4.9	137.6 4.9	· ·	
G-74 AND DRY AIR G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Abbient Air I	5850	37.3 5052 10070		
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#### PART.I

#### Summary of Twents

Operations - The building and spare in-page lines of K-302-1 were nurged to a negative analysis by CCAO. On completion of the valve seat raplacements, the spare by-page lines were but into service at 2330. By O8CO a negative analysis had been secured on the normal by-page lines. The status of the converter replacements as of O8CO was:

Call 7 and 6 - New converters installed, ready for conditioning.

Call 7 - See Convertors installed, prosoure testing.

Cells 5 and 6 - Original converters being out out.

K-301-1.2 was returned to cassade operation at 0900, on completion of the repair of the C-316 leak.

Partially depleted feed was off from 0800 to 1225 as a result of a frozen line. The feed was resulted at an increased rase to make up the deficiency.

The stream efficiency of the tensmobing cascade was

98.5%.

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### PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 3-27-47

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8 PRODUCTION - 1	To-day	Deily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
0-2035 C-5327	3,211		86,029 61674.373	792531.535
WSAGES - KeT K-25 Waste C-616 C-936	847.3 <i>54</i> 1338.07		11313.665 35255.64	Stock Feed Room and Storage 98331_155 54347.87 1913.83
S-50 Weste C-934 C-5327 C-5331 Class B			11258.340 4139.860 10.096	76663.94 223.96
SHIPMENTS - K	3_826		81.682	
INTERPLANT FL KgT K_310-3.7 Co K_402-9.3 Co	2822 ma. 7781637	2021 1781617 4410270		
PURGE RATES - K-312-1 (Top K-312-2 (Std	<del>)</del> ~	<b>43</b> 37		
CONC. C-616 1 Top Side	I_O = IO-	1.0 x 10-6	•	
POWER LOAD - Total V.Y. Total 120 V.	138.4 F. 4.7	137.6 4.9		
G-74 AND DRY G-74 Rate Dry Air Rat Ambient Air		37.1 5021 9981		

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## CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPOPATION PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 3-25-47 to 0800 3-26-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - The tails pressures of K-511-1 were
between 1755 and 1855, to avoid overload while building
K-502-1 was being evacuated in preparation for the converter and valve
seat replacement program. K-502-1 was isolated at 2200 and evacuated
by 2245. The tails pressures of K-511-1 were then restored
by 2553. All cells in K-502-1 were purged to negative analyses by 0720.
The cell and building spare bypass lines are being purged. By 0800 the
converters had been cut out in cells three and eight. The present

converters in the building will be replaced by units tubed
with K-27 and the major building block valve seats
will be replaced by P-10 seats.

Building K-402-5 was isolated at 0800. A series of direct recycle cascades were set up within the building to determine the separation performance, %, of the recently installed barrier. Both these runs were made at the normal pressure level of the building, psia. By 1900, sampling had been completed on the second test, and the building was returned to cascade operation.

K-301-1-2 was isolated at 0935 on indication of a C-816 leak into the process stream. The leak was found in the cooling tubes of #3 converter, and is now being repaired.

K-305-1.4 was isolated from 1339 to 1415 for a static instrument check. This was the last check to be run on this cell, which had been calibrated as part of the plantwide program to determine instrument "drift" or "set".

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 98.3%.

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### PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 3-26-47

•	<sup>™</sup> o~da <b>y</b>	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
FRODUCTION - KgT C-2035 C-5327	3.214 2415.404		82.818 59510.753	790369.651
USAGES - KgT K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste C-934 C-5327 C-5331 Class B	1064.446 1268.19		10443.917 33917.57 11258.340 4139.860 10.096	Stock Feed Rm. & Storage 99178.509 55685.73 1913.83 76663.94 223.96
SHIPMENTS - K_T C-2C35	5 <b>.6</b> 88		77.856	
K-402-9.3 Conc.	2822 3341683 6640433	2821 2211610 1120261		
PURGE RATES-Scf/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	3317	4392		
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0×10-6	1.0x10-6		
Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	140.8	137.5 4.9		
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Scf/min. G-74 Rate Day Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	37.4 4900 13000	36.9 4990 9852		

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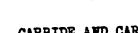
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## CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 3-24-47 to 0800 3-25-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - The frequency of buildings K-312-1 and K-312-2 was lowered from 40 to 35 cycles during the 8-4 shift. At this frequency the building purge capacities are sufficient to handle the normal daily upflow of light contaminants.

A series of separation performance tests are to be run on the recently installed WL and WB barrier in K=402-5. The tests will be run at the normal tails pressure of the building, In preparation for the first run, K=402-5.5 was evacuated at 0740 to be available for surge capacity for the building when isolated on direct recycle.

The consumption experiments are being continued in K-306-5.4.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.7 %.

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### PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 3-25-47

		Daily Avg.	To Date	Stock
	To-day	This Month	This Month	Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - KgT	20-44			
C-2035	3.235		79.604	mommas 403
C-5327	2236.100		57095.349	787341.481
	. •			
				Stock
USAGES - KgT		,		Feed Rm. & Storag
K-25 Waste	283.678		9401.252	100242.955
C-616	1291.30		<b>32649.38</b>	1913.88
C-936				76663.9 <del>4</del>
S-50 Waste				223.96
C-934	242 007	<del>-</del>	11258.340	220.50
C-5327	743.697		4139.860	
C-6331	•		10.096	. •
Class B			70.000	
SHIPMENTS - KgT				
C-2035	6.455		72.168	
INTERPLANT FLOW	•			
KgT	2822	2821	,	
K-402-9.3	8890408	4450254		
K-310-3.7	3341483	4451604		•
PURGE RATES-Sof/day				
K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	3504	4437		
V-215-5 (21ffe)	3504	2401		
CONC. C-616 IN				
PURGE CASCADE				
Top	•	•		
Side	$1.0 \times 10^{-6}$	$1.0 \times 10^{-6}$		
POTER LOAD-Mw.	<b>x</b>			•
Total V.F.	142.1	137.4		
Total 120 V.F.	4.9	4.9		
				•
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Scf/mi	in.			•
G-74 Rate	38.9	36.9		
Dry Air Rate	4950	4994		
Ambient Air Rate	11800	9721		
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### CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800, 3-21-47 to 0800, 3-24-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - The frequency of the K-303 section was raised from 64.5 to 64.75 cycles at 0925, March 21. It was further raised to 65 cycles at 1309.

The crude and partially depleted feed rates were returned to normal at 1400 on March 22. These rates had been approximately ten percent above normal since 0130, March 20, in order to make up the deficiency arising from the operations on March 19.

The crude feed point was changed from on March 23°

at 1145

The present in K-302-1 are to be replaced with units containing K-27 It is expected that this program will be started on March 26. At this time the main building and building by-pass block valve seats will also be replaced with P-10 seats.

The stream efficiencies of the separating cascade were:

Day Ending 0800	% Efficiency
<b>5-22-4</b> 7	99.2%
3-23-47	99.6%
3-24-47	99.6%

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### PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

From 0700, 3-21-47 To 0700, 3-24-47

	Three Day	Daily Avg.	To Date	Sto	ok
	Total	This Month	This Month	Ship	Storage
PRODUCTION - KgT	1000				
C=2035	9.659		76.369		
C=5327	6 <b>7</b> 87 . 420	54	858。739		786466。462
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				Feed Kin	a & Storage
USAGES - KgT		•		1005	24 - 486
K-25 Waste	2 <b>35</b> 4°376		117.574		60°84 80°84
C <b>-616</b>	3998 °C4	21	.358.08	_	13.83
C=9 <b>36</b>		-			63.94
S-50 Waste					23.96
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C=5331		•	10.096		
Class B					
SHIPMENTS - KgT					
C-2035	5,208		65.713		
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	Day Ending			<del>-</del>	Daily Avgo
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INTERPLANT FLOW				2822	2821
KgT	2822	2822	_	2022 641513	2231612
K-310-3.7	8841503	3381507		650384	1120251
K-402-9.3	8 <b>860</b> 405	4420331		00000x	220000
PURGE RATES-Sof/day		_		æ	<b></b>
R-312-1 (Top)	4443	4461		4120	4478
K-312-2 (Side)	4440	7304			
CONC. C-616 IN					
PURGE CASCADE					
Top	<b>a</b>	<b>-</b> •		c	6
Side	1.0 x 10°6	$1.0 \times 10^{-6}$	1.0	x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>
POWER LOAD-Mwo			_		149 9
Total V.F.	142.1	142.5		142.5	137.2 4.9
Total 120 V.F.	4.9	409		4.9	300
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G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sof	<u>7min</u> 50.1	35.9	•	41.2	37.0
G-74 Rate	5050	4900		4850	4996
Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	12400	12500		1700	9650
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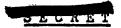
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### CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION PROCESS DIVISION

#### OPERATIONS 0800 3-20-47 to 0800 3-21-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - The frequency of the K-303 Section was raised from 64.00 to 64.25 cycles at 1130. It was further increased to 64.5 cycles at 0210.

K-301-4.5 was off-stream from 1255 to 1330 for an instrument check as part of the program to determine instrument drift or set in the cascade. This was the first check made since the initial calibration of the cell under this investigation.

K-306-5.4 was isolated, evacuated and purged to a negative analysis in preparation for the investigation of consumption.

Cells 5 and 6 and the building lines of K-309-3 were returned to cascade operation at 0015 upon completion of the converter and valve seat replacements.

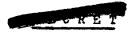
Cell 4 was on-stream at 0344, completing the program.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was

99.1%

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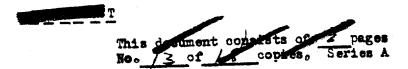
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Day Ending 0700, 3-21-47

	To⇔day	Daily	To Date	Storage Ship Storage
PRODUCTION KgT	Toeday	This Month	This Month	Ship Storage
C=2035	3.207	,	66。730	
C <b>⇔5327</b>	<b>2468</b> , 45 <b>9</b>		48071.319	780316.639
		**		Stock
77714777 77 77		•		Feed Rm. & Storage
USAGES KgT K-25 Waste	151.499		CBC9 100	100077 646
C=616	1389.68		6763。198 27360。04	102877,635 54288,76
C-936	100000		2130004	1913.83
S-50 Waste				<b>78663</b> 。94
C-934			•	2 <b>23</b> 96
C=5 <b>327</b>	958。372		9 <b>880</b> <sub>2</sub> 738	
C= <b>5331</b>			4140,780	
Class B			10.096	•
SHIPMENTS KgT			•	
C-2035	2.541		<b>62</b> <sub>2</sub> 505	
78600 F7 1310 D2 000				
INTERPLANT FLOW	0000	0003		•
K-310-3.7	2822 7 <b>7</b> 31482	2821 7771636		
K=402=9.3	7780427	8880237		
**				
FURGE RATES-SOf/day				
K-312-1 (Top)		•		
K-312-2 (Side)	5 <b>437</b>	4498		
CONC. C-616 IN				
FURGE CASCADE				
Top	<b>-</b> . 8			•
Side	1.0 x 10.6	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>		
Dollar Total				
POWER LOAD=Mwc Total VoFo	140.1	190 4		
Total 120 V.F.	140.1 4.9	136 <sub>°</sub> 4 4 <sub>°</sub> 9		
10002 200 1010	300	403		
	<b></b>			•
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Soi				
Dry Air Rate	46 <sub>2</sub> 9 5000	36 <sub>-</sub> 3 - 5005		
Ambient Air Rate	13300	9 <b>24</b> 5		
		4824		
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### PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 3-19-47 to 0800 3-20-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - On completion of the installation of F-10 seats in the normal bypass lines of K-309-3, the line was conditioned and returned to service at 2100. The valve seats in the spare lines are now being replaced. At 0800 cell 4 was ready for conditioning. The new converters have been installed in cells 5 and 6 and the welds are being leak tested.

K-402-2.9 was isolated at 1235 to change the 6-A seal. While the seal change was in progress the BOP released flooding the cell with G-74. The A outlet block valve was not holding and the G-74 was pulled to the cascade. The cascade was split at K-301-4.4 from 1845 to 1950 to trap the upflow of G-74. This cell was isolated at 1950. The rest of the G-74 was trapped in the top of K-402-9.

While this was under way the interplant flows were stopped from 2020 to 2200. K-402-9.2 was the isolated with the trapped G-74. In order to complete the seal change in K-402-2.9, building K-402-2 was isolated at 2240 allowing the section of A line at cell 9 to be isolated, permitting the cell to be pressured to atmospheric pressure. On completion of the seal change cell 9 was evacuated and building K-402-2 was returned to cascade operation at Ollo.

Because of the above operations crude feed was stopped at 2035, PDF at 1850, and waste condensation at 2200. All were resumed by 0130 at approximately 10% above the normal rates in order to make-up the loss.

The frequency of K-312-2 was reduced from 45 to 40 cycles between 0250 and 0340.

The stream efficiency of the senarating cascade was 98.9%.

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### PART II DAIDY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 3-20-47

	To-day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship <b>Storage</b>
PRODUCTION - KgT C-2035 C-5327	3,208 2309,293		<b>63.</b> 523 45602.860	778807.877
	2003.230		2000000	Stook
USAGES - KgT K-25 Vaste C-616 C-936	1046.27		6608.01.9 26970.36	Feed Rm. & Storage 103029.134 55664.15 1913.85
S-60 Waste C-934 C-5327 C-5331	7 <b>74.</b> 978	•	8922.366 4140.780	7666 <b>3.94</b> 2 <b>23.</b> 96
Class B			10.096	
SHIPMENTS - KgT	5.677		59.964	
INTERPLANT FLOW:  KgT  K-310-3.7 Conc.  K-402-9.3 Conc.	2793 6691648 6850594	2820 1111630 4440223		
PURGE RATES-Sof/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	- 35 <b>4</b> 5	- 4449		
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE				
Top Side	1.0 x 10-6	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>		•
POWER LOAD-Mw Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	139.1 4.9	136.2 4.9		
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Scf/ G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	43.1 5650 11100	35. 8 5005 9032		

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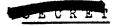
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#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - The frequency to the top purge building, K-312-1, was lowered from 45 to 40 cycles at 1315. A comparatively small reduction of purge capacity was effected by this operation, but it is expected that the consumption losses will be materially reduced.

Converters tubed with barrier are being installed in building K-309-3 replacing the original units containing P-10 seats are also being installed in the major building and building bypass block valves. In preparation for this program, K-309-3 was changed from the normal to spare process lines at 2100. The building was isolated at 2230 and evacuated to the cascade. During this operation the 1B pump of cell 4 failed. The cells were purged to negative analyses by 0355, and the bypass lines by 0440. At 0300 all converters had been cut loose in cell 4 and two in cell 5.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.5%.

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### PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 3-19-47

	To-day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Sto Ship	ock Storage
PRODUCTION KgT		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	<del></del>		
C-2035	3.715		60.315		
C <b>-5327</b>	2 <b>231</b> 。39 <b>7</b>		<b>432</b> 93。567		777274,783
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K-25 Waste		*	6608.019		*
C-616	1296,91		24924.09		48702,89
C-935					1915.83
S-50 Waste					76663,94
C-934					223.96
C-5327	1025.228		8147。388		
C-5331			4140.780		
Class B			10.096		
SHIPMENTS - KeT				•	
C-2035	3.898		E4 207		
	0.6030	e	54.287		
INTERPLANT FLOW					
KgT	2822	2822			
K-310-3.7	5581647	5551634			
K-402-9.3	6640483	4450204			-
PURGE RATES-Sef/day					
K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	-	• '			
K-312-2 (Side)	5550	4499			
CONC. C-616 IN					
PURGE CASCABE	•	•			
Top		•	•		
Side	1.0 x 10	$6.1 \cdot 0 \times 10^{-6}$			•
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POWER LOAD-Mw.					
Total V.F.	141.4	136.1			
Total 120 V.F	4.9	4.9			
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sof/min.	_				
G-74 Rate	33,0	35,4			
Dry Air Rate	4950	4 <b>9</b> 69			
Ambient Air Rate	8900	8917	• • •		
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### CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 3-17-47 to 0800 3-18-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - In order that the new all metal line recorder tube racks can be built identically, it has been decided to construct them for the B positions in the line recorder stations. Accordingly all present A tube racks in stand-by condition are to be calibrated and put on stream. All B racks, unless designated for special use, are to be shut down.

K-305-11.3 was off stream from 1155 to 1605 for a dynamic instrument alignment.

A test was run in K-312-3 to determine the performance of the building for the separation of Helium, from Helium. On completion of the test run, the building was evacuated and shut down by 2100.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.6%.

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## DAILY FRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 3-18-47

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		aily Avgo is Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - KgT C-2035 C-5327	3.724 2238.450		56.600 41062.170	776070. Stock
USAGES - KgT K-25 Waste C-616.	1300.84		6608.019 * 23627.18	Feed Rm. & Storage 103029.134 49982.08 1913.83 76663.94
C-936 S-50 Waste C-934 C-5327 C-5331 Class B	1027.761		7122.160 4140.780 10.096	223.96
SHIPMENTS - KgT	6.360		50.389	
INTERPLANT FLOW  KgT  K-310-8.7 Cone.  K-402-9.3 Cone.	2822 3351394 2260265	2822 2231632 1120181		
PURGE RATES-Sof/day K-312-1 ,(Top) K-312-2 (Side)	4378	- 4437		
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>		
POWER LOAD-Mw Total V. F. Total 120 V. F.	141.5 4.9	135.8 4.9		
G-74 AND DRY AIR- G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	4950	35.5 4971 8918	•	
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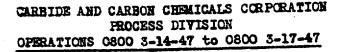
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#### PART I

### Summary of Events

Operations - The drop in tops concentration previously reported curtailed production during the 8-4 shift of March 14. The low point in the concentration decrease was realized during this shift. Through the remainder of the report period the concentration has been steadily building back up.

Operations were mainly directed toward returning those cells, in which pump failures were experienced during the frequency increase, to cascade operation. During the report period several more pump failures occurred in the K-303 section. The frequency to the K-303 section was reduced to 64 cycles at 1155, March 15.

K-312-3 was again valved into the "purge-to-surge" system of Plant II, during the 8-4 shift of March 14, to facilitate purging. By 2305 on March 15, K-312-3 was isolated. The building was purged to a negative analysis by 2020, March 16, and is to be used for a special engineering run to determine the effective separation of helium<sub>3</sub> from helium<sub>4</sub>.

Several cascade splits were necessary to trap the upflow of G-74 from K-303 purging operations. A split was effected at K-304-4.4 from 1250 to 1745 on March 15. High G-74 concentration in K-305-12 also necessitated a split at K-306-1 from 1750 to 1940 on March 15.

The feed point for K-25 to K-27 interplant flow has been changed from K-402-8.2 to K-402-9.3 since the 8-4 shift of March 11.

The K-309-3 converter change scheduled for the week of March 17 will be begun on March 19.

The stream efficiencies of the separating cascade were:

Stream Efficiency
98.4%
99.0%
9 <b>9.</b> 5 <b>%</b>

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		Daily Avgo	To Date	Stock
	To-day	This Month	This Month	Ship Storage
PRODUCTION ONST	<u> </u>			
C-2035	8 <b>86</b> 9		52°876	
C-5327	6820-234		38823.720	7 <b>738</b> 33。887
0-0001	0000000			_
	•			Stock
				Feed Rm. & Storage
USAGES - KgT				
K-25 Waste			6595°040	103027.386
C=616	3912,51		22326.54	51289.60
C=936	<b>4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4</b>			1913.83
S=50 Waste				76663.94
C=934				<b>223</b> 。96
C=5327	2703,989		7122.160	
C=5531	353.601		3114.019	•
Class B			10.096	
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CUT DECEMBE _ FAT				
SHIPMENTS - KgT C-2036	3.187		44.029	
C-2036	00201			
	Day Ending			Daily Avg.
•	0700, 3-15-4	7 0700, 3-16-	47 0700 <sub>0</sub> 3-1	7-47 This Month
INTERPLANT FLOW	0.008			
	2822	2822	2822	
KgT	3321601	4491498	5531402	
K-310-3.7 K-402-9.3	6650524	2260345	4490258	2220181
TedAce 202	000002			
PURGE RATES-Sof/day				
K-312-1 (Top)	•	•	•	•
K-312-2 (Side)	5806	5947	4854	4441
K=312=2 (5145)	3420	3250	<b>-</b>	•
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CONC. C-616 IN				
PURGE CASCADE				
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Top	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	$1.0 \times 10^{-6}$	1.0 x 10-6	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>
Side	200 2 20			
POWER LOAD-Mw.				
Total VoF.	140.4	140.1	141.5	135.4
Total 120 VoFo	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9
10 OLI 120 VOFO	200			
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sof	/min			
G-74 Rate	46.9	44.1	51.0	<b>35.</b> 5
	5000	4950	5000	4975
Dry Air Rate	8200	9600	10000	8838
Ambient Air Rate	9800		*	
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#### CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 5-15-47 to 0800 5-14-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - In order to facilitate the purging of those cells which were shutdown by pump failures during, and as a result of, the frequency increase on March 12, K-512-5 was valved into the "purge to surge" system. This operation effectively increased the capacity of the surge system by 9500 scf/day. the rate at which K-512-5 was purging. The return from this purge building was to the B spare line at K-506-2. During the 12-6 shift, this operation was suspended and the C-616 inventory was being backed out of the building.

K-506-6.4 was returned to cascade operation at 0515, after a temporary suspension of the consumption test. At this time the cell contained approximately the normal inventory at a concentration only slightly above that of the crude feed which had been charged to the cell. Irregularities in the surge system prevented its complete purge and the remaining material was evacuated to the cascade. Shortly after this the tops concentration showed a sharp drop which continued through the report period. This effect has not definitely been associated to this period.

Please note the following corrections of the separating cascade stream efficiency.

Day Ending 0800	Stream Efficiency
3-8-47	99.4%
3-9-47	99.5%
3-10-47	99.8%

The stream efficiency for this report period was 97.7%

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# PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 3-14-47

	To-day	Daily Avgo This Month	To Date This Lonth	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - KgT C-2035 C-5327	2.887 2295.799		44.007 32003.486	769721.776
USAGES - KgT K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste	1319.45		6595.040 18413.83	Stock Feed Rm. & Storage 103027.386 55202.05 1913.83 76663.94 223.96
C-934 C-5327 C-5331 Class B Waterial	278.771 7 <b>4</b> 0.937		4418.171 2760.418 10.096	
SHIPPERTS -KRT C-2035	3.195		40.842	
INTERPLANT FLOW KgT K-310-3.7 K-402-9.3	2822 7781627 8830542	2 <b>82</b> 2 1131682 1120131		
PURGE RATES-Sef/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side) K-312-3 *	7343 2211	4388	·	
PURGE CASCADE  Top  Side	1.0 n 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 °	5	
Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	139.6 4.9	134.2 4.9		
G-74 AND DRY AIR- G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Ra	4900	32.7 4973 8738	·	

\* Used for evacuating "purge-to-surge " system

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## CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION

# PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 3-12-47 to 0800 3-13-47

#### PART I

### Summary of Events

Operations - The frequency to sections K-302, K-303 and K-305 was simultaneously increased from 60 to 65 cycles. The schedule during the change follows:

Pann	60	to	61	cycles		0915		
						1005	to.	1017
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				<b>A</b>		1041		
	63				Ħ	1145	to	1157
				#	#	1235	to	1247

A total of 13 cells were shutdown because of equipment failure resulting from the frequency increase. Following is a tabulation of these cells listing the points of failure.

	Time Off	<u>Failure</u>
K-305- 3.4 K-305-10.6 K-303- 6.9 K-305-11.6 K-303- 1.10	1052 1055 1100 1155 1205	2B Seal and motor Motor * 6B pump and motor 1A motor and seal 4B pump and motor, 3B pump and motor, 6B motor
K-303- 7.1 K-303- 4.8 K-305- 1.2 K-303- 7.2 K-303- 7.10 K-303- 1.6 K-303- 9.7 K-303- 7.8	1235 1240 1243 1245 1245 1250 1257 1300	1B pump and motor  1B motor and seal, 2B seal  4B motor and pump, 5B pump  5B pump and motor  4B pump and motor, 2B motor  3B pump, 3 seals  1B pump and motor

\* K-305-10.6 was started and placed on-stream at 1515 without a motor change.

K-303-6.3 was off-stream at 1410 because of the failure of the 1B pump.

K-402-5.6 was off-stream from 1445 to 1605 in order to make the final check on the cell instrumentation as part of the plantwide program to investigate instrumentation "drift".

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 97.9%.

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Day Ending 0700, 3-13-47

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	To-Day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - K.T				
G-2035 G-5327	3.208 2286.292		41.120 29707.687	767706.729
<u>USAGES - KgT</u> K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste	330.508 1288.12		6595.040 17094.38	Stock Feed Ra. & Storage 103027.386 56521.98 1913.83 76663.94
C-934 C-5327 C-5331 Class B	6 <b>39.</b> 732	-	4139.400 2019.481 10.096	223.%
SHIPMENTS-KoT C-2035	3.236		37.647	
INTERPLANT FLOR				
KgT	2822	2822		•
K-310-3.7 Conc. K-402-8.2 Conc.	5531682 *	1121681 1120101		
PURCE RATES-Sof/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	4454	 3925		
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE				
Top Side	1.0x10-6	1.0x10-6		
POWER LOAD-LW. Total V.F.	138.5	133.7		
Total 120 V.F.	4.9	4.9		
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sof/	<u>.</u>		•	
G-74 Rate	67.8	30.9		
Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	4 <b>90</b> 0 7 <b>80</b> 0	4979 8 <b>7</b> 67		

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## PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 3-11-47 to 0800 3-12-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations — Building K-309-3 was off-stream from 1115 to 1140 in order to check the building block valves for seat leakage. It is expected that the converters in this building will be replaced as part of the general barrier improvement program in K-25.

K-305-9.3 was off-stream from 1125 to 1540 for an instrument alignment.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.7%.

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# PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 3-12-47

	To-day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - KgT 0-2035 C-5327	3.241 2253.477		37.912 27421.395	765422.510
USAGES - KeT K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste	997.013 1258,26		6264.532 15806.25	Stock Feed Rm. & Storage 103357.894 49547.00 1913.83 76663.94
C-934 C-5327 C-5331 Class B			4139.400 1379.749 10.096	2 <b>23.%</b>
SHIPMENTS - KgT C-2035	6.268		34.411	•
INTERPLANT FLOW KgT K-310-3.7 K-402-8.2	2822 7 <b>75</b> 1374 22501 <i>2</i> 4	2 <b>8</b> 22 1131682 1120101	•	
PURGE RATES-Scf/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	3027	<b>3877</b>		
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCALE Top Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>		
POWER LOAD-Min Total VoF. Total 120 VoF.	133.7 4.9	133.3 4.9		
G-74 AND DRY AIR-So G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	27.9 4850	27.5 4986 8855	·	

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# OPERATIONS 0800 3-10-47 to 0800 3-11-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - K-305-5.4 was isolated and purged to a negative analysis in preparation for a long range test program to determine the consumption rate under known conditions. The cell was then charged with a known amount of crude feed. Periodically the inventory of the cell will be withdrawn and weighed.

Mechanical failure of the #1 mill of powerhouse boiler #1 resulted in a frequency decrease of .3 cycles to the entire K-25 cascade, except the K-306 section, from 1745 to 1747. The fast restoration of frequency was accomplished by dropping load from Generator #7 which is tied into TVA.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.8%.

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# PART II PAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 3-11-47

			Day maring of	00, 5-11-47
	To-day	Daily Avg. This Honth	To Date This Honth	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - K_T C-2035 C-5327	3.214 2256.544		<b>34.</b> 671 2 <b>5167</b> .918	<b>763171.</b> 315
USACES - K_T K-25 Waste C-616* 3-736 S-50 Waste	9 <b>99.774</b> 1 <b>29</b> 9.70		5267.519 14548.00	Stock Feed Rm. & Storage 104354.907 50805.03 1913.83 76663.94
C-934 C-5327 C-5331 Class B			4139.400 1379.749 10.096	223.96
SHIPMENTS - KgT C-2035	6.450		28.143	
INTERPIANT FLOW  KgT  K-310-3.7 Cone.  K-402-8.2 Cone.	2822 8841743 7720031	2822 1111710 1110100		
PURGE RATES-Scf/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	 3536	3962		
Conc. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0x10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0x10-6		
POWER LOAD-Ww. Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	134.1 4.9	<b>133.</b> 3 4.9		
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Scf/s G-74 Rate	27.9	27.5		

Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate 9200 8820

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Crude feed concentration adjusted to 1137053%, effective March 1.

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# PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 3-7-47 to 0800 3-10-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations: - The PDF feed point was changed at 1145 March 7. When the C-816 concentration was found to be high in PDF cylinder #A-3842, a new cylinder was started to at 1140 March 8.

The feed point in K-25 receiving the interplant flow from K-27 was changed from K-310-3.2 to K-310-3.7 at 1340 on March 9.

There has been no further trouble encountered from the lube system in K-305-2. It is felt that the Purolator plugging may have been caused from sediment stirred up in the storage drum by the addition of new oil on March 7. A centrifuge has been onerated approximately 20 hours on the storage drum of the building. Cell 1 was floated on-stream approximately two hours, 3-8, while the oil filters were changed on the 4-B and 6-B pumps. Cell 7 was returned to cascade operation at 2145, 3-7; cell 9 at 1635, 2-8; and cell 10 at 2050, 3-9. On this last cell it was necessary to change the 5-A pump.

Product withdrawal was curtailed during the 4-12 shift of March 7, because of pressure variations in stage 6 of K-306-7.8. These variations were a result of faulty stage 4 control valve in cell 6, which made it necessary to bypass the cell on three occasions for a total of approximately 2.4 hours.

The stream efficiences of the semarating cascade were:

Day Ending 0800	•	Efficiency	
3-8-47 3-9-47		99.5% 99.7%	
3-10-47		99.9%	

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# PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

From 0700, 3-7-47 To 0700, 3-10-47

	Three Day	Daily Avg.	To Date	Stock	
	Total	This Month	This Month		Storag
Production KgT					
C - 2035	9.632		51.457	•	
C5327	6819.007		22911.374	760	0914.7
USAGES - KgT				Stock Feed Rm. & Stoc	
K-25 Waste	1508.861	•	4267.745	105554.681	LONG
C-616	3931.52		13248.30	52116.32	
C-936	2724.72		17240.70	1913.83	
S-50 Waate				76663.94	
C-934				223.96	
C-5327	1381.129		4139.400	227.30	
0-5331	117.765		1379.749		
Class B Material	22(.10)		10.096	,	
SHIPMENTS - KgT					
C-2035	3.131		21.693		**
	Day Ending			Daily Avg.	
	0700,3-8-47	0700.3-9-47	0700,3-10-47	This Month	
INTERPLANT FLOW	2822	2852	5855	5855	
<b>-</b>				3334	
K-310-3.2,.7	6631812	8831762 *	3341503 *	1111700	
K-402-8.2 Conc.	1140083	9920131	7720121	1110100	
PURGE RATES Sof/day					
K-312-1 (Top)		<b>.</b>	-	-	
K-312-2 (Side	5485	5670	3642	4010	
CONC. C-616 IN					
PURGE CASCADE					
Top Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10	6
POWER LOAD-My					
Total V.F.	133.1	132.9	133.2	135.2	
Total 120 V.F	4.9	4.9	4.9	135.2 4.9	,
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sc: G-74 Rate	<u>f/min</u> . 34.9	26.9	24.1	27.4	
Dry Air Rate	4 <b>95</b> 0	49 <b>5</b> 0	4850	5006	
Ambient Air Rate	7600	7700	9100	8778	
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# PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS CSOO 3-6-47 to 0800 3-7-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Diversion Control - Effective at OSOO March 10, 1947, a new pass system for Plant II RR Area will be in effect. At this time all personnel not regularly scheduled to work in the RR Area, with the exception of the Plant General Foreman, will be allowed entry only upon presentation of a properly authorized Plant II RR Area Pass at the K-312-3 change house portal, Passes will be issued by designated members of Plant II Supervision.

No type of work order will be considered proper authorization to enter the RR Area.

In the event of any emergency in the RR Area, the Plant General Foreman or any member of Plant II Supervision authorized to issue RR Area Passes, may declare that a state of emergency exists in the RR Area. At such a time, anyone in the classifications listed below may enter without a Plant II RR Area Passe

1. Plant II Supervision presenting a Plant II badge and an emergency pass.
2. All elerations, maintenance, and service personnel designated by the Plant General Foreman or Plant II Supervision.

All personnel who enter the RR Area under these emergency rulings must leave through the guard portal where they will be searched and their reason for entering the area verified.

Standard Operating Procedures - The following Standard Operating Procedures are being distributed:

Power Failure to the K-400 Section and K-631 - This procedure has been revised and now stipulates that affected buildings shall be isolated with the building by-pass valves closed. The building G-74 service header pressure may be reduced to 3 paig during an extended failure. Interplant flow will be continued if buildings K-402-8 and K-402-9 are not affected by the failure. A precedure for power failure in K-631 is also included.

K-27 Shutdown and Startup with Communication - The K-731 Control Room Foreman will take the necessary protective steps upon the occurrence of any power emergency and will notify the Plant General Foreman. The reemergization of the electrical system will be directed by the Plant General Foreman through the Electrical System Operator. K-25 Shutdown and Startup with Communication - This procedure follows the same outline as above, except of course the K-704 Control Room Foreman will be concerned.

Power Failure to K-1101 and K-1201 - In event of a complete power failure to the Air Conditioning and Compressor Plants, breakers will be cleared and the equipment will be prepared for startup.

Operations - Power was lost to the A motors of K-306-4.2,.4 and K-306-5.2,.4 at approximately 0054. This occurred when feeder 403 was taken out of service for a dielectric absorption test. The other feeder supplying this network, 402, had been out previously for the test. Upon its returnto service, the secondary breaker had shown a closed indication, but apparently was not closed since there was no power to the network when feeder 403 was removed.

Building K-306-4 was isolated from 0100 to 0140. The B motors of the four affected cells were stopped and the cells were isolated at 0113. Meanwhile the secondary breaker of feeder 402 was replaced. The four cells were started and on-stream by 0450. Feeder 403 was then removed from service as originally planned.

A partial lube oil failure occurred in K-305-2, K-306-2,7 was taken offstream at 1425 when the 4B seal went bad apparently caused by the 4B pump failure. The seal was changed. On the 12-8 shift, faulty lube supply caused the shutdown of cells 7, 9 and 10. The motor and 5B bearing are to be replaced on cell 7. The 5A bearings, pump and seals willber splaced an cell 10. No immediate cause was found for this partial failure. The centrifuge will be operated on the lube storage drum during the 8-4 shifts.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.6%.

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C_956			* *		6663°84
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C_934					223080
C-6327	2		2758-271		
C-5331	998。853		1261.9 <b>34</b>		
Class B Material			10.096		
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Shipments - Igt			20 500		
C-2035	್ಮ 539		18.562		
INTERPLANT FLOW					
KgT	2822	<b>282</b> 2			
K-310-3-2 Conc.	32 \1 <b>813</b>	2221721			
K-\$02-8.2 Conc.	33°C15E	2350102			
PURGE RATES - Sof/	day				
K-312=1 (Top)		æ	٠		
K-312-2 (Side)	€ 3 <b>79</b>	3548			
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PURGE CASCADE					
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# CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800, 3-5-47 to 0800, 3-6-47

#### PART I

### Summary of Events

Operations - A V.F. power failure shut down the K-309 and K-301 sections at 1832. The failure resulted from a voltage drop and surge from generator #3, operating on bus 6, supplying the B rotors of the above sections. This voltage variation apparently was a casult of a failure in the exciter of #5 generator, which had just been returned to service replacing a temporary steem-driven exciter. Although this failure was only on the bus to the B motors, the process interlook connection also shut down the A motors.

Power was restored at 1555. At this time the buildings in each section were re-valved to normal onestrons position. All cells were started between 1605 and 1635. At 1637 the cascade was rejoined between K-310-1 and K-309-3. The tie-in between K-309-1 and K-301-1 was effected at 1640. At 1655 the final split was re-made between K-301-5 and K-302-1. In order to control the upflow of G-74, the A outlet of K-302-1.4 was partially closed until 1840.

The crude food point was shifted from ly depleted feed was changed to

at 2015. Partial-during the 12-8 shift.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.7%.

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# PART II DAILT PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 9700, 2-6-47

Stock		Mo-day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date	Stock Ship Stornge
Stock   Feed Pm. & Feed	C-2035	30208		18.837	
Feet	C-5327	2385,100		17685.168	753076.178
C-26 Waste   788.532	TO A CTOPO V _ M				Stock Feed Rm. & Storage
C-616 1394.05 1000.32 49386.25 1015.83 1015.83 1015.83 1015.83 1015.83 1015.83 1015.83 1015.83 1015.83 1015.83 105	K-25 Waste	788.524		2738,884	106863,642
S-50 Waste  C-934  C-934  C-5327  Class B Material  C-5351  265.131  267.13					29386.25
C-934 C-5327 Class B Material C-5331  ERIPMENTS - KgT C-2035  S-370  SETTERHANT FLOW  IGT					
Class B Material C-5351  C-5351  C-5351  C-5351  C-2035  C-203					
### C-5551  #################################				and the second s	
C-2035		263.131		227.3.71	•
INTERPLANT FLOW  Igt 2822 2822  I-810-5.2 2241813 2241703  K-402-8.2 3550024 7770000  PURGE RATES-Sof/day  I-512-1 (Top) I-312-2 (Side) 3488 3582  DEC. C-616 IN  PURGE CASCADE  Top Side 1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> FOWER LOAD-Hw  Total V.F. 180.4 183.1  Total 120 V.F. 4.9 4.9  Dry Air Rate 27.9 27.0  Dry Air Rate 5875 5040					
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R-402-8 o?   3350224   77702000     R-312-1					
K-512-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)  DMC. C-616 IN  FURGE CASCADE  Top Side  1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> FOWER LAD-New  Total V.F.  130.4 153.1  Total 120 V.F.  4.9 4.9  Dry Air Rate  5375  5040					
N=312-2 (Side)   3488   3582	PURGE RATES-Sof/day				
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# CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800, 3-4-47 to 0800, 3-5-47

#### PART I

### Summary of Events

Operations - X-305-3.4 was returned to eascade operation at 1980. The test to determine an accurate consumption rate has been temporarily delayed.

K\_805-9.1 was off-stream from C840 to 1410 for an instrument align-

The stream afficiency of the separating caecade was 99.7%.

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# PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day	Ending	0700,	3-5-47
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	<b>To</b> ∽day	Daily Avgo	To Date This Month	Sto Ship	ok Storage
PRODUCTION - KgT C-2085 C-6827	3.220 2345.641		15.504 11321.054		750714.182
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USAGES - KgT K-25 Waste C-615 C-936 S-50 Waste	597,411 1303,23		1972.560 6598.97	5	7649 <b>.866</b> 0775.32 1913.88 6663.94 223.96
C-934 C-5327 Class B Material	370,468		2758.271 10.096		
SHIPMENTS - KeT C-2035	6.416		12.153		
INTERPLANT FLON  KgT  K-510-3.2  K-402-8.2	2822 7741793 1160175	2822 7711580 1120071			
PURGE RATES-Sof/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	3706	5605	·		
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-5</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			
FOWER LCAD=Myo. Total VoFo. Total 120 VoFo.	155.9 4.9				
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sof/m	1no 27.5	26.8			

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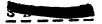
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PART I

Summary of Events

Operations - The crude feed rate was prestored to 3.5 pound units per hour at 0700. The rate had been raised to approximately four pound units per hour on February 27, in order to make up the deficiency caused by the feed stoppage in preparation for the separation performance test in K-402-7.

The alarm indicators installed on the cell panel boards to warn of high seal feed pressures are being changed to indicate a low seal exhaust pressure. It is expected that this indication will prove more valuable for detecting seal failures.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 39.7%.

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## PART II DAIL PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 3-4-47

	Today	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stor Ship	ck Storage
PRODUCTION - KgT					
C-2035	3.214		12.284		
C-5327	2475.205		8977.413		751129.812
HOLORO V M				<u>.</u> .	Stock
USAGES - KeT K-25 Waste	<b>50</b> 100			Feed	Rm. & Storage
C-616	79.430		1375.149		108247.277
C-936	1440.16	4	5295.74		52081.80
S-50 Waste		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			1913.83
C-934					76663.94
C-5327	1008.361		2207 002		223.96
Class B Material	1000,701		2387.803 10.096 <del>*</del>		
			10.070"		•
SHIPMENTS - K.T	•				*
C-2035	5.737		5.737		
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INTERPIANT FION					
K.T	2822	2822		•	
K=3103.2 Cone.	3361725	1131652			
K-402-8.2 Conc.	1180137	1120041			
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PURGE RATES-Scf/day	2				
K-312-1 (Top)					: `` 
K-312-2 (Side)	4848	3573	•		,
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CONC. C-616 IN	,		•		p as the s
PURGE CASCADE					,
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G-74 AND DRY ATR-So	f/min.		•		enco.
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Dry Air Rate	<b>500</b> 0	4917	•		
Ambient Air Rate	9400	9267			
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#### CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION

#### PROCESS DIVISION

#### OPERATIONS 0800 2-28-47 to 0800 3-3-47

#### PART I SUMMARY OF EVENTS

Operations - Approximately fifty percent of the standard Line Recorder Station tube racks have been placed on residual operation. Those tube racks nearest the Line Recorder Station micromax panels remain in on-stream operation. If any trouble develops in the normal on-stream tube rack, requiring its isolation, the standby rack may be placed in service after permission is secured from Day Supervision or the T.A.G. Foremen. A complete log will be kept of such changes. Then normal tube racks are taken off-stream, they are to be taken completely out of service and will be replaced by metal tube racks as available.

The complete monthly plant inventory was taken at 1300, February 28. Grude feed, depleted feed and waste condensation were stopped from 1245 to 1415.

The feed of Class B enriched material was continued to K-310-3.2 until March 2, at which time the present schedule was completed.

The depleted feed point was changed from March 2, 1947.

at 1635,

K-306-5.4 was isolated and purged to a negative analysis during the 12 - 8 shift on March 3. A series of test runs will be made in this cell in an attempt to determine an accurate consumption rate.

The stream efficiency for the period ending 0800, February 27, 1947, was in error. The corrected efficiency is 97.6%.

The stream efficiencies of the separating cascade were:

Day Ending 0800	Efficiency
3-1-47	99.9%
3-2-47	100.0%
3-3-47	99.8%

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# PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

From 1300, 2-28-47 To 0700, 3-3-47

•	Three Day	Daily This Mo			orage
PRODUCTION KgT C=2035 C=5327	9.070 6 <b>50</b> 2.208		9 <b>.07</b> 0 6 <b>502</b> .208	74	B6 <i>56</i> , 13 <b>4</b>
				St. Feed Rm.	ock & Storage
USAGES RgT R=25 Waste C=616 C=936 S=50 Waste C=934	1295,719 3855。58	:	1295。719 3855。58	49 1 76	326.707 379.99 913.83 663.94 225.86
C-6327 Class B Material	1379.442 10.592		1379。442 10。592		
SHIPMENTS KgT	Day Fnding 0700, 3-1-47		Day Ending 0700, 3-2-47	Day Ending 0700, 3-3-47	
Interplant flow Kgt K-310-3.2 K-402-8.2		2 <b>784</b> 111560 1 <b>449</b> 964	2822 1181637 1160005	2 <b>822</b> 7781697 22 <b>4</b> 0073	2822 1131632 2230012
PURGE RATES-Sof/day  K-312-1 (Top)  K-312-2 (Side)	3255	3507	2806	- 3064	- 2955
CONC, C-616 IN FURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10-	5 1.0 x 10	0-6 l.0 x 10-6	1.0 x 10-6	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>
POWER LOAD-MW Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	133.3 4.9	1 <b>52</b> .6 4.9	133.9 4.9	135°7 4°8	155.8 4.9
G-74 AND DRY AIR Sof/n	11n. 25.0	<b>37</b> ,3	<b>25</b> ¿O	27.9	26.5
Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	4950 9700	5209 11014	4900 8700	4850 9700	4875
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### CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION

# OPERATIONS 0800 2-27-47 to 0800 2-28-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - The last four cells in K-311-1 were placed onstream on completion of the scheduled converter replacements. Cell 9 was on cascade at 0955, cell 7 at 0400, cell 5 at 0535, and cell 3 at 0630.

The feed of class B enriched material was continued to K-310-3.2.

The crude feed and the partially depleted feed rates were increased to make up part of the deficiency which resulted from the feed stoppage in preparation for the psi (\*\*) test in K-402-7.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.0%.

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### PART II

	DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT		From 0700, 2-27-47 To 1300, 2-28-47			
	To-day	Daily Avg. This Wonth	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage		
PRODUCTION - K <sub>2</sub> T C-2035 C-5327	3.917 3065.257		82,626 42409,415	742157.1		
USACEC - KgT K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste C-934	70.843 1785.67	• •	5507.954 3 <b>58</b> 01.21	Stock Feed Rm. & Storage 109627.333 53242.98 1913.83 76663.94 223.86		
C-2035 Class 8 Material C-5331	19.281 1380.06	<b>-</b> .	.449 21.314 1380.06	<i>22</i> 3 <sub>0</sub> 80		
SHIPWENTS - KgT C-2035	6.372		80,395			
TERPI ANT FION	Day Ending 0700,2-28-4	<u>.</u>				
K-402-9 Conc. K-311-1 Conc.	2822 4461485 7751004	2784 1111380 1120381				
PURGE RATES-Scf/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	3923	3516				
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top			. •			
POTER IOAD-Ww. Total V.F.	1.0x10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0x10 <sup>-6</sup>				
Total 120 V.F.	4.9	4.9				
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sef/min.	•		• • •			
G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	40.3 5200	37.7 5219				

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## PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 2-26-47 to 0800 2-27-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - The frequency of sections K-303, K-305, K-310 and K-311 was dropped 1.5 cycles when generator #5 dropped out at 1500 because of trouble developed in the condensor. After the generator was back on the lim, frequencies were brought back to normal, starting at 1535.

The separation performance, pai (%), test was run in K-402-7 at pressure levels:

The building was returned to normal cascade operation at 2345.

Cells 8 and 10 in K-311-1 were neturned to eascade operation at 1045 and 1710 respectively upon completion of the converter replacements. At 0800, February 27, cell 9 was conditioning, cell 7 was ready for conditioning, and welding was proceeding on the new converters in cells 5 and 3.

Class B enriched feed was started to K-310-3.2 at 2100.

The stream efficiency for the period ending 0800 February 25 was 97.1%. It had been reported as 97.2%.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade, for this report period, was 97.3%.

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## PART II DAILY PRODUCTION HEPORT Day Ending 0700, 2-27-27

PRODUCTION - RaT	To-Day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage	١.
0-2035 0-5327	3.186 2 <b>293.</b> 039		78.709 39344.158	739094.15	52
USACES - KZT				Stock Feed Rm. & Storage	
K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste	1029.522 1249.98		5437.111	109693.269 46757.28 1913.83 76663.94 223.86	
C-934 C-2035 Class B Material	2.033	-	.449 2.033	•	
SHIPMENTS - KRT					
C-2035	3.819		74.023		
		Daily Avg. This Month			
'NTERPLANT FLON	-				
KgT K-402-9 Conc. K-311-1 Conc.	.2822 1161355 1160795	2783 1121381 1120361			
PURCE RATES-Scf/day		•			
K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	- 3461	3501			
Conc. C-616 IN PURCE CASCADE					
Top Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10			
POWER LOAD-Mr.		·			
Total V. F. Total 120 V.F.	130.4 4.9	132.7 4.9			
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sof/E	nin.				
G-74 Rate * Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	44.4 5700 10300	37.6 5219 11112			
JHRay/ /lw JCLaycock/	* G=7.	4 rate for day	ending 0700,	2-26-47, was 38.0 sef/min	•

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#### CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION

## PROCESS DIVISION Operations 0800 2-25-47 to 0800 2-26-47

#### Part I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - K-311-1.2 and the building process lines were put on stream at 2220 upon completion of the converter changes and the process block valve seat replacements respectively. Cell 6 was returned to cascade operation at 0230, and cell 4 at 0600. Cells 8 and 10 were started on their conditioning cycles at 0300 and 0700 respectively.

A psi (\*\*) test is to be run in K-402-7 starting at 0800, February 26. to determine the separation performance of the K-27 at pressure levels In preparation for this run, crude and depleted feeds were stopped at 2330 in order that the K-631 surge drums could be pulled down to receive the additional inventory from the partial evacuation of K-402-7. By 0320 the surge drums had dropped to 1.0 psis and waste condensation was suspended. At 0630 K-402-7 was isolated and the evacuation to the test level was started.

K-303-1.4 was shut down for a static check of the cell instrumentation, which had been calibrated on February 10, as part of the plantwide program to investigate instrumentation "drift" and error.

The monthly plant inventory will be taken at 1300 on February 28.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 98.3%.

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## PART II DATLY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 2-26-47

	Tooday	Deily Avg. This Month	To Date This Bonth	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - Ket C-2035 C-5327	3.208 2244.891		75.523 37051.119	736801.113
USACES - NoT K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste	901.329 995.96		4407.589 32765.56	Stock Food Rn. & Storage 110722.91 48006.18 1913.83 76663.94
<b>C-934</b> <b>C-</b> 2035			·449	223.86
SEIPMENTS - Ket C-2035	5.997		70,204	
INTERPLANT FLOW  Kgf  K-402-9 Conc.  K-311-1 Conc.	2 <b>82</b> 2 7741483 7720851 *	2781 1111380 1120341		
PURCE RATES -Sof/6 K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	2833	<b>3502</b>		
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10-6	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>		
POWER LOAD -Mg Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	129.6 4.9	132.7 4.9		
G-74 AND DRY AIR- G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Ra	44.1 5700	5200		
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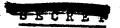
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#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - The scheduled shutdown of the K-310 section was effected to permit an inspection and overhaul of V. F. bus 7-8 at the powerhouse. Following is the schedule of operations performed for tills outage. At O815 K-27 was isolated, crude and depleted feeds were stopped. The K-600 section was isolated at O830. At this time the cascade was split between K-309-3 and K-310-1 by closing the sectional block valves. The building inverse recycle valves were opened in K-309-3 to provide surge capacity for the cascade.

At 0832 the K-310 buildings were isolated on inverse recycle and shutdown allowing the V. F. power to be dropped from bus 7-8. K-310-1 was tied into K-309-3 at 0925 to provide further surge relief.

Upon completion of the inspection and overhaul of V. F. bus 7-8, power was restored to the K-310 section at 1450 and the cells in the section were started. By 1530 the K-600 building was tied into the bottom of K-310-3. This section was joined to the bottom of K-309-3 at 1610, and the inverse recycle valves of K-309-3 were closed.

K-27 was tied into K-310-3 at 1710. The K-601 to K-27 interplant flow was started at 1715. This line appeared slightly plugged, requiring the flow orifice to be bypassed until 1900. At 1730 crude and depleted feeds were resumed, completing the program of operations.

During this shutdown a series of tests and investigations were run to secure information available only during such an outage.

Data were secured in all K-310 buildings to determine if an instrument bias exists. In the case of each building, an instrument test wagon was connected to the building datum system and a second wagon was connected to the line recorder manifold to secure an accurate static pressure reading. For purposes of comparison readings were then taken from all the high side pressure recorders. Analyses of these tests are not yet available.

Another test was run to determine the amount of normal inleakage which can be expected under shutdown conditions. As the cells in the section were shutdown, the seal feed pressures were regulated to .5 psi above the static pressures in the cells. The seal exhaust pressures were regulated to .25 psi above the cell shutdown pressures. Results of this test should represent the minimum inleakage to be expected during any future emergency shutdowns.



The scheduled converter and valve-seat replacements are proceeding according to schedule in K-311-1. Upon completion of the installation of the P-10 seats in the K-311-1 building normal block valves, the line was conditioned and put into service from K-309-3 to K-600, in order that the spare building block valves at K-511-1 could be replaced. Evacuation of the A and B spare bypasses was started to K-600 through a K-311 intersectional cell pump at 0445. However, this program was temporarily held up when it was found that the A spare outlet and B spare inlet block valves of K-310-1 had not been fully closed during the changeover and inventory was being pulled from the cascade to K-600. K-310-3 was isolated on inverse recycle between 0450 and 0512 while K-600 was isolated. The interplant flow was also stopped for this interval. By 0800 a negative analysis was secured on the spare bypass lines.

At 0800, February 25, the status of the converter change in K-311-1 was as follows:

Cell 2 - conditioning

Cell 4 repairing leaks at converter welds

Cell 6 - new converters welded in

Cell 5 - new convertors placed

The pressure level of K-402-1 was raised from an average The following conditions were established.

The high side pressure of K-306-7.6 was adjusted G-74 surge capacity.

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K-306-1.11 was off-stream for a dymamic instrument check.

A test is under-way in K-312-1.3 to secure further data on consumption losses at 60 cyple operation.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 97.2%.

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## PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 2-25-47

TRANSPORT W. C.	Tooday	Daily Avg. This month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - Ket C-2035 C-5327	2,960 1536.155		72.315 34806.228	734556.90
USACES - KoT E-25 Waste G-616 G-936	777.431 848.35		3506.260 31.769.60	Stock Fred Rn & Storage 111624_129 40723_47 1913.83
S-50 Waste 0-934 0-2035			·449	76663 <b>.94</b> 22 <b>3.86</b>
SHIPMENTS - Ket 0-2035	5.264		64.207	
INTERPLANT FLOW  KgT  K-402-9 Cone.  K-311-1 Conc.	1764 5571626 4421231 #	2780 4441383 6660355	•	
FURCE RATES -Set/ E-312-1 (Top) E-312- (Side)	2970	<b>353</b> 0		
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 × 10 °	5 1.0 x 10	o-6	
POWER LOAD-War Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	125.5 4.9	132. 4.		
G-74 AND DRY AIR- G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Ra	27 <sub>3</sub> 3	37 5179 11175	<b>.3</b>	

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#### CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION

## PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 2-21-47 to 0800 2-24-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - The motor-generator set in K-312-1 was shutdown for maintenance. In order to accomplish this with as little interruption of top purging as possible, the frequency of the building was raised from 45 to 60 cycles between 0835 and 0935, 2-21-47. When an attempted change was made from the motor-generator set to the constant frequency system, the building dropped from service. K-312-1 was then started, on the constant frequency system at 1040 and resumed top purge service by 1120. Upon completion of the repairs to the motor-generator set, the building was returned to this power at 1230. The frequency was restored to 45 cycles by 1430.

Partially depleted feed was started to at 1300 on February 21. Until further notice the feed of this material will continue at a rate of 65.2 pound units per day.

K-302-5 was isolated on inverse recycle by accidental operation of the supervisory controls on February 22. The building was returned to cascade operation within .17 hours.

In preparation for the K-311 and K-310 shutdowns, the cascade was changed to spare process line operation from the bottom of K-309-3 to K-601 on February 21. K-311-1 was isolated at 2225, 2-23-47 and evacuated by 2245. By 0545, 2-24-47, all cells in the building had been purged to negative C-616 analyses. The present converters in the building are to be replaced with units containing The seats of the main building process block valves will also be replaced by P-10 seats. By 0800, the new converters were placed in cell 2, and the old converters were cut out of cell 4.

The stream efficiencies of the separating cascade during this report period follow:

Stream Efficiency
99.9%
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Standard Operating Procedures - The following procedures are being issued:

K-27 Emergency Reduction of Load Swonlied by TVA - This procedure has been revised to provide the Flant General Foreman with direct notification of any emergency load reductions by the K-731 control room foreman.

Recirculating Water Pump Control-Power Failure - Procedures are set and explanations are given as to the method of maintaining a supply of process water to the K-300 section.

Complete Power Failure to Section K-830 - This procedure sets forth the steps to be followed in advent of a complete power failure to K-832, in preparation for the startup on return of the power supply.

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## PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 2-21-47 To 0700, 2-24-47

PRODUCTION KET C-2035 C-5327	70 Day Total 9.028 6627.027	• •	Month Ship	tock Storage 733020.745
770 4700 T-0			Feed	Stock Rm. & Storage
USAGES KgT K-25 Waste C-616 C-936	2728。829 3908。64	2728。 30921。		12401.551 41585.01 1913.83
S-50 Waste C-934 C-2035		· ·	.449	76663.94 223.86
		•	*****	
C-2036	2.345	58	.943	
INTERPLANT FLOW	Day Endin 0700, 2-22-		0700,2-24-47	Daily Avgo This Month
KgT K-402-9 Conc. K-311-1 Conc.	2 <b>822</b> 5 <b>59121</b> 8 5 <b>57</b> 0146	2822 7791248 4450144	2822 7741383 6670546 *	2 <b>822</b> 4451374 1120811
PURGE RATES-Sef/day K-312-1 (Top)	•		-	
K-812-2 (Side)	3390	3230	2801	<b>35</b> 55
FURGE CASCLES Top	<b>.</b>	•	<b>-</b> • -	•
Side POWER LOAD-Mr.	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-5</sup>
Total V. F. Total 120 nV. F.	133.9	185.2 4.9	132.9 4.9	138°2 4°9
4 44 100 ppg 400 p 4 4			•	
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sof/min G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate	29.8 5050	45.1 4850	29.8 5050	37.8 5170
Ambient Air Rate  JHRay/ ga  JCLaycook/	12000 + K-31	10000	9900	11200

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#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

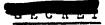
Operations - Although visible and andible alarms are already in use for protection against excessive cell stage pressures in Plant II, additional tests are being made to provide automatic protection through the cell overcurrent relay settings. It was found that protection could be supplied to the bottom five stages of the cells by having the cell by-pass valves arranged to open when the cell pressure (determined by cell motor load) reached the desired maximum. In order to prevent stage 6 overloads, from stage control valves stuck closed, an experimental program is now underway to determine the practicability of operation in Plant II with all sixth stage control valves set in a normal position on manual control. Accordingly K-306-3, K-305-5, K-305-6 and K-305-7 have been operating in this manner for several ays. To date no reactions have been encountered to discourage this method of operation.

A test was run to determine the effect of a nitrogen alug traveling through a building operating in this manner. The cascade was split at K-306-3.10 from 1040 to 1125 to allow nitrogen to accumulate below the split. When the cascade was rejoined, a slug of nitrogen with a peak of 90% passed through to K-306-7 with no marked difficults.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.9%.

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## PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 2-21-47

	•••	Daily Avg.	To Date	Sto	ck ·
	To day	This Month	This Month	Ship	Storage
PRODUCTION - KgT					
C-2035	2,997	•	60.527		
C-5327	1286.211		26643.046		726394.653
					Stock
	•			Food R	n. & Storage
USAGES - KgI			*		
K-25 Haste				11	5130.330
C=616	1302.85		27012.61	٨	1581.24
C-936					1913.83
S-50 Weste				7	8683.94
C=934					225.36
C-8035			.449		•
0-6300					
SHIPMENTS - KgT					
C-2035	3.342		56,600		
G-1000	5,555				
INTERPLANT FLOW					
KgT	2822	2822			
K-402-9 Conc.	5521241	4451384			,
K-311-1 Conc.	4480227	1160325			
PURGE RATES-Sof/day					
K-312+1 (Top)	•	<b>-</b> .			
K-312-2 (Side)	3 <b>262</b>	3616			
CONC. C-616 IN					
PURGE CASCADE					
Top	•				
Side	1.0 x 10-6	$1.0 \times 10^{-6}$			
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POWER LOAD-Mw.					
Total V.F.	134.1	133.2			
Total 120 V.F.	4.9	4.9			
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G-74 AND DRY AIR Sci	/min	38.3			
G-74 Rate	32.0 5000				
Dry Air Rate	5000	5198 11285			
Ambient Air Rate	10200	11200			
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#### PART I

#### SUMMARY OF EVENTS

Diversion Control - Records accumulated since the inception of the "R" area restrictions in Plant II show that an appreciable saving could be made by reducing the number of portals to the area. Accordingly portal #3, opposite K-304-4, was closed on February 19. At this time Plant II badges held at this portal were transferred to portal #5, between K-304-1 and 303-10 on the operating floor. In addition, plans and construction are underway for the re-location of the vehicle entrance from portal #4 to portal #2, in order that the former may possibly be closed at a later date.

Operations - K-305-11.7 was off-stream from 1040 to 1310 for an instrument calibration. This cell is the fifth, and last, to be included in the program to determine cell instrument "drift" or bias over a period of time in various parts of the plant.

K-304-2.5 was evacuated to .50 pais at 0920 for coolant pump repairs. The cell was isolated from 1125 to 0520, when replacement of the pump was necessary.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.6%.

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## PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Pay Ending 0700, 2-20-47

Daily Avg. To Date   Stock   To-day   This Month   This Month   Ship	Storage 725110.84
C-2035 3.000 57.330	725110.84 Storage
C=5327	Storage
1307.987 25356.835	Storage
	Storage
USAGES - KgT	Storage
Ke25 Weste	1100
C-616 115130:	. 380
C=936 25709.76 42892.	
S-50 Wests 1913.	
C_934 75663.	
C_203E 223	, 86
.449	
SHIPMENTS - KgT	
0-2036	
4,992 53,258	
INTERPLANT FLOW	
KgT 2822 2822	
K-402-9 Cone. 3581287 1111300	
K-311-1 Conc. 3390248 1110320	
TURGE RATES-Sef/day	
K-312-1 (Top)	
K-312-2 (Side) 3124 3635	
70TO 0 000 000	
CONC. C-616 IN	÷
PURGE CASCADE	
Top Side 1.0 - 10=6	
Side $1.0 \times 10^{-6}$ $1.0 \times 10^{-6}$	
POWER LOAD-Nw.	•
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G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sof/min.	
G-74 Rate : 32.0 38.6	
Dry Air Rate 5000 5208	
Ambient Air Rate 9900 11342	

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Operations — As the tone concentration of the plant has been rising steadily, the rate of product withdrawal was accelerated during the 8-4 and 4-12 shifts to lower the concentration to the standard previously established at the time the most recent production commitment was set. This concentration was reached near the end of the 4-12 shift, at which time the rate of withdrawal was lowered to hold the concentration relatively stable.

The interplant feed from K-27 to K-25 was changed from the B spare to the sectional recycle line to route it to K-310-3.2. The spare lines will be needed for process service during the converter and valve change program in K-311-1, scheduled for February 24.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 100%.

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## PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 2-19-47

	Today	Daily Avgo This Month	To Dake This Month	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - KgT C-2035 C-5327	4.980 1300.624		54,330 34048,848	723802.848
- -		-		Stock Feed Em. & Storage
USAGES - KgT K-25 Waste C-616	1300.08		24408.18	116130.380 35901.94 1913.83
C-936 S-50 Waste C-934			. <b>44</b> 9	76663。9 <b>4</b> 22 <b>3</b> 。86
C-2036 Shiphfris - KgT			<b>48</b> °266	
C-2035	5.570	2822		
KgT K-402-9 Conc. K-511-1 Conc.	2822 5561415 7 <b>7</b> 50264	4491398 3340333		
PURGE RATES-Sef/day  K-312-1 (Top)  K-512-2 (Side)	- 3 <b>7</b> 37	- 3664		
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top	•	•		
Side POWER LOAD-Hw.	1.0 x 10	-6 1.0 x 10	<b>-</b> 0	
Total VoF.	134 <b>.1</b> 4.9	155.1		
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## GARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMECALS CORFORATION PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 2-17-47 to 0800 2-18-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - The motor on the coolant pump of K-304-5.10 burned out. Repairs were made with the cell on-stress by lowering the tails pressure to .55 pais from 1920 to 2050.

E-301-1.2 was returned to cascade operation at 1625. The cell had been off-stream to repair a coolant leak.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.7%.

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## PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 2-18-47

PRODUCTION - Ret	To day	Daily Avgo This Month	To Date This Fonth	Stock Ship Storage
C=2038 C=5327	2,798 1290,812		49.350 <b>227</b> 48.224	722504.699
USAGES - KgT				Stock Feed Rm. & Storage
K-25 Weste C-616 C-936 S-50 Weste C-934	1507.17		23108.10	115180.380 37208.90 1918.85 76683.94
C-2056 SHIPMENTS - KeT			.449	225.86
C-2035	5.651		<b>42</b> ,696	
INTERPLANT FLOW  KgT  K-402-9 Conc.  K-511-1 Conc.	2822 8521411 4460185	2822 1111390 4440333		
FURUE RATES-Sof/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	3796	<b>3659</b>		
COMC. C-616 IN FURGE CASCADE Top				
Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>		
Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	183.5 4.9	135.0 4.9		
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C-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	36.8 5200 9400	39.5 5224 11 <b>5</b> 29	in the second se	
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#### CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 2-14-47 to 0800 2-17-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - The leak in the coolant tubes in K-301-1.2.3 was repaired and the cell was back on stream by 2205, February 14. However, the cell was again isolated and evacuated at 0425, February 15, on indication of a C-816 leak of approximately 3.0 pounds per day. However after several G-74 purges, the inleakage was again checked and found to be very low. On the basis that the inleakage detected originated from trapped C-816 from the actual leak, the cell was returned to cascade operation at 1225. On February 16, at 0530, a C-816 inleakage of approximately 3.6 pounds per day was again detected. The cell was isolated, evacuated and purged to a negative C-616 analysis. Leak testing operations are now underway to determine the source of the inleakage.

Routine dew point testing of cell enclosures has been discontinued in Plants I and III. Operating experience has shown that the normal bleed-off of dry instrument air from those instruments contained within the cell enclosures, plus the normal cell ambient air supply is of sufficient magnitude to maintain the blanket of cell ambient air at a required dew point. Routine dewpoint testing has been discontinued in Plant II since the inception of the Diversion Control regulations.

A series of tests were run in various cells in Plant II to determine the effect on motor loads with one stage control valve fully closed. Data was acquired from the following cells:

K-304-4.9, K-304-5.5, K-305-1.5, K-305-6.3, K-306-2.7 and K-306-5.5.

The stream efficiencies of the separating cascade during this report period

Day Sadin	g 0800	Efficiency		
February	15	99.6%		
	16	99.8%		
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## PART II DAILY PRODUCTION HEPORT

From 0700, 2-14-47 To 0700, 2-17-47

	Three Day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - KeT C-2035 C-5327	8,667 3866,302	•	46.552 21457.412	721213.887
USAGES - KgT K-25 Wasta C-616 C-936 S-50 Wasta C-934 C-2035	<b>3896.</b> 91	-	21 <b>8</b> 00 <b>.</b> 93	Stock Feed Rm. & Storage 115130.380 38516.08 1913.83 76663.94 223.86
Shipments - Kot	2.05.		37.045	
C-2035	3.053  Day Ending  0700. 2-15-47	0700,2-16-47	0700 2-17-47	Daily Average This Month
INTERPLANT FLOW KgT K-402-9 Conc. K-311-1 Conc.	<b>2822</b> <b>774</b> 1353 11 <b>6</b> 0365	2822 1191308 1180307	2822 2261385 3320291	2 <b>8</b> 22 4451394 2 <b>23</b> 0342
PURGE RATES - Scf/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	3512	4889	3739	3651
CONC. C-616 IN PURCE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10-6	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>
POWER LOAD-Mr. Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	133.2 4.9	133.8 4.9	133.3 4.9	133.0 4.9
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sof/ G-74 Rate Dr Air Rate _ent Air Rate	<del>'nin.</del> 34.9 5900 10400	32.7 5050 10600	52.0 5050 9 <b>90</b> 0	39.7 5225 11663
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#### CARBILE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION

## PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 2-12-47 to 0800 2-14-47

#### PART I

#### Surgary of Events

Operations The C-816 leak detected in K-301-1.2 was located at #3 converter.

E-301-4.5 was shutdown from 1100 to 1200 for a static instrumentation check. This cell was previously shutdown for a static check and cellbration as the first step of a program to determine instrument additive over a period of time.

The interplant flow from K-25 to K-27 was lowered to 175 pound units per hour between 1620 and 2300 because of low K-601 surge drum pressure.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.6%.

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## PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 2-14-47

	Today	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage		
PRODUCTION - KgT C-2035 C-5327	2.746 1287.745		37.885 17591.110	717348.763		
			•	Stock Feed Rm. & Storage		
USAGES - KgT K-25 Weste C-616 C-936 S-50 Weste	1297.47	- -	17904.02	115130.380 42422.04 1913.83 76663.94		
C-934 C-2035			.449	223.86		
SHIPMENTS - KgT C-2035	1.580		<b>33</b> <sub>0</sub> 98 <b>7</b>			
INTERPLANT FLOW  KgT  K-402-9 Conc.  K-311-1 Conc.	2822 4491428 7730282	2822 1151404 1110351				
PURGE RATES - Sef/day K-812-1 (Top) K-812-2 (Side)	4244	3559	•	•		
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10-6	1.0 x 10-6				
Total V. F. Total 120 V. F.	132.8 4.9	132.9 4.9		•		
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sof/min. G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	46.0 5050 10700	39.7 5200 11977				
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#### CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION

## PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 2-12-47 to 0800 2-13-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - Stage pressures in K-305-7,8 and 9 were raised

between 0854 and 1100 in order to redistribute the cascade
inventory in this part of the plant, as well as to achieve more optimum
operating conditions.

K-310-1.3 and .1 were returned to cascade operation, completing the converter change program in this building.

K-311-1 was isolated from 1045 to 1125 in order to check the seat leakage of the building block valves preparatory to a converter change in this building on February 24. Since K-311 will be down at this time it is tentatively scheduled to shutdown the K-310 section also in order to check and make any necessary repairs to buses 7 and 8 at the power-house.

The frequency of K-312-1 was further raised from 40 to 45 cycles between 1045 and 1125 as a continuation of the test of the performance of the carbon seal installations on the stage pumps.

A C-816 leak of approximately 1.7 pounds per day was detected in K-301-1.2 at 0340. The cell was isolated, shutdown and is being purged preparatory to repairs.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.7%

The stream efficiency ending 0800, 2-12-47 was in error. The efficiency was 99.3%

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# PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT Day Ending 0700, 2-13-47

	To-day	Daily Avg. This Month	To-Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - KeT C-2035 C-5327	2.612 1288.359		35.139 16303.365	716061.969
USACES - KoT K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste C-934 C-2035	1312.47	- -	16606 <b>.</b> 55 .449	Stock Feed Rm. & Storage 115130.380 39637.29 1913.83 76663.94 223.86
SHIPMENTS - Ket C-2035	4.542		32.40C	
INTERPLANT FLOW  IGT  E-402-9 Conc.  L-311-1 Conc.	2 <b>82</b> 2 2241473 9960345	<b>2822</b> <b>555</b> 1404 <b>4440</b> 353		
PURCE RATES-Sef/day E-312-1 (Top) E-312-2 (Side)	308.4	3502	·	
CONC. C-616 IN PURCE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10-6	1.0 x 10	6	
POWER LOAD-No Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	133.3 4.9	132.9 4.9		
G-74 AND INT AIR-S G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rat	43. 5300	1 39. 5213 12083	<b>1</b>	·

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# PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 2-11-47 to 0800 2-12-47

### PART I

# Summary of Events

Operations - K-310-1.4 and the building process lines were put on-stream at 1200. A N<sub>2</sub> slug from this operation necessitated pinching down on the sectional block valve at K-301-5 between 1220 and 1240. The upflow was further dampened at K-303-3.4 between 1240 and 1400. K-310-1.6 was returned to cascade operation at 1520, and K-310-1.5 was on-stream by 0435. K-310-1.3 is near the end of the conditioning cycle, and K-310-1.1 is being tested by V. T. D.

In order to determine the operating characteristics of those cells, 7 through 21, equipped with carbon seals in K-312-1, the frequency was raised from 30 to 35 cycles between 0915 and 0955. The operating speed was further raised by increasing the frequency to 40 cycles between 1315 and 1405. As the purge efficiency increased, cells 22, 20, 18, 16, 14 and 12 were shutdown, leaving only those cells equipped with carbon seals, operating. (Cells 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 3, 5 and 7 have been in standby condition since november.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.2%

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Day Ending 0700, 2-12-47

	To-day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This North	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - KeT C-2035 C-5327	3.447 1302.466		32.527 15015.006	714774.852
USAGES - KeT K-25 Heste C-616 C-936 S-50 Weste	1301.81		15294.08	Stock Feed Rm. & Storage 115130.380 40949.76 1913.83 76663.94 223.86
C-934 C-2035 *	.449		.449	22300
SHIPMENTS - Ket C-2035	3.055		27.865	
INTERPLANT FLOW  KgT  K-402-9 Conc.  K-311-1 Conc.	2822 7781.627 8840453	2822 1151.394 6670356	•	
PURCE RATES-Sof/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	3792	3547		
CONC. C-616 IN FURCE CASCAUE Top Side	1.0 x 10-	6 1.0 x 1	<del>g-6</del>	
POWER LOAD-HE Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	131.1 4.9		•9 • <b>9</b>	
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sef	/min. 32.7 5800	y 38 5205	.8	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •

G-74 Rate 52.7 56.6 Dry Air Rate 5800 5205 Ambient Air Rate 11200 12109

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# PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 2-10-47 to 0800 2-11-47

### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - Work is proceeding on the installation of K-27 in K-310-1. By 0800, February 11, the converters were installed in cells 4 and 6 and the cells were on a conditioning cycle. The converters have been cut from cells 1, 3 and 5; the replacements are essentially all placed. The installation of P-10 valve seats in the main block valves was complete with the exception of seat leakage testing.

After K-310-1 was changed from the spare bypass lines to the normal lines at 1820, the K-601 surge drum pressure decreased steadily, making it necessary to stop the K-25 to K-27 interplant flow from 1845 to 1915. It was found that a valve was open from the A normal bypass line to the surge for purge system. The inventory which accumulated was immediately revacuated to the cascade.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 98.8%.

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Day Ending 0700, 2-11-47

	To-day	Daily Avgo This Month	To Date This North	Stock Ship Storage
<u>C-2035</u> C-5327	2.599 1328.227		29.080 13712.540	713474-478
USAGES - KgT K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste C-934	1335.04		13992.27	Stock Feed Rm. & Storage 115130.380 38119.63 1913.83 76663.94 223.86
SHIPMENTS - Ket C-2035	6.906		24.810	
INTERPLANT FLON  KgT  K-402-9 Conc.  K-311-1 Conc.	2 <b>8</b> 22 44 <b>61</b> 655 44 <b>70</b> 606	2822 1121371 6660345		
PURCE RATES - Sef/6 K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	3573	3522		
CONC. C-616 IX PURCE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10 °C	1.0 x 10	6	
POWER LOAD -Nw Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	129.6 4.9	133.1		
G-74 AND DRY AIR-S G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	41. 5700	2 39°4 5145 12200		

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# PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 2-7-47 to 0800 2-10-47

### PART I

# Summary of Events

Operations - The first phase of the separation performance test in K-402-4 was completed at 1515, February 7. This rum was made at a pressure level of Pressures in the builting were then re-adjusted to a level of This phase of the test was complete by 2530. K-402-4, except cell 2, was returned to normal cascade operation at 0120, February 8. Cell 2, which had been isolated with 132. was put on-stream at 0350.

A plantwide sanitary water failure occurred at 1318, February 7, when a section of the ten inch main broke, east of the K-1050 building. This branch of the system was isolated and pressure in the system was restored by 1345.

Tails pressures in the even cells of K-306-4 were raised from between 1145 and 1200 on February 9.

The rate of waste condensation in K-631 was raised from 3.5 to 4.0 pound units per hour between 1500 and 1900. February 9, in order to stay under the maximum surge drum pressure in K-631. K-402-5.9 was being purged for a seal change at this time, which necessitated a reduction in the size of the surge system since three drums are isolated for purge service. The rate was again increased to four pound units per hour at 2200 when K-402-9.10 was to be purged.

K-310-5.2 was returned to normal cascade operation at 0440, February 8, on completion of the K-27

Product: withdrawal was suspended during the 4-12 shift on February 9, when a live in the out-going header of the line recorder manifold of K-306-7 developed a leak. The deficiency was made up by increasing the amount withdrawn on the next shift.

K-510-1 was isolated and evacuated to the cascade starting at 2100, February 9. The present converters, are to be replaced with units containing During this program the major building and cell block valve seats will be replaced by F-10 seats. By 0045, February 10, the building was purged to a negative C-616 analysis. By 0800 converters had been removed from cells 4 and 6 and the new units were being spotted in place.

The stroam efficiencies of the separating cascade were:

Day Boding 0800	Efficiency
2-8-47	98.5%
2-9-47	99.8%
2-10-47	99 . 2%

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From 0700, 2-7-47 To 0700, 2-10-47

	Three Day	Daily Avg. This Houth	To Date his Month Shi	Stock D Storage
PRODUCTION - KeT C-2035 C-5327	8.287 3903.103	12	26.481 2384.313	712146.251
USACES - KeT K-25 Weste C-616 C-936 8-50 Weste C-934	<b>421</b> 7.85	- <b>1</b>	<u>Fe</u> 2657。23	Stock ed Rm. & Storage 115130.380 39476.44 1913.83 76663.94 223.86
SHIPMENTS - Ket C-2035	2.434	1	8.804	
INTERPLANT FLOW  KgT  K-402-9 Come.  K-311-1 Come.	Day Ending <u>0700, 2-8-47</u> 2822 5581337 5580257	0700 <u>2-9-47</u> 2822 4491 398 5560275	0700, 2=10 2822 5521661 4430562	Daily A This Mon- 2822 7771346 1120323
PURCE RATES-Sof/ds K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	31.48	3211	<b>N62</b>	<b>351</b> 6
CONC. C-616 IN PIRCE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 ×10-6	1.0 x 10	-6 1.0 x 10 -6
POWER LOAD-My Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	133.4 4.9	133.8 4.9	132.3 4.9	
G-74 AND DRY AIR- G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Re	31.1 5300	44.1 5000 12300	46.9 5150 12300	39.2 5083 12089

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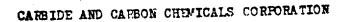
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# PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 2-6-47 to 0800 2-7-47

### PART I

### Summary of Events

Operations - A special test is underway in K-402-4 to determine the separation performance, psi(\*), of barrier installed in the even cells of the building. One such test has already been run at a tails pressure this test will be run at two pressure levels,

The first phase of the test is being run at a pressure level of cells. In preparation for this run crude feed was stopped at 2130 while waste condensation was continued, in order to pull the K-631 surge pressure down sufficiently to provide surge capacity for the excess inventory to be evacuated from K-402-4. The surge drums dropped to 1.0 psia by 0320, at which time crude feed was resumed. K-402-4 was isolated at 0500 and evacuated through the A building outlet to the desired pressure conditions. During this period crude feed was again suspended. It was resumed at 0620 to K-402-5.1, at a rate of 4# units per hour to make up for the feed lost during the shutdowns.

K-402-4 was set up on direct recycle with cell l as the top at a pressure tapered.

The even cells, were adjusted with a

The remaining cells were tapered up from gradient of per stage. Cell 3 was set up as the bottom of the direct recycle cascade for surge capacity. After the building has operated in this manner for approximately 3 hours, for the purpose of establishing equilibrium, samples will be taken across area, the difference in X concentration representing the separation performance. Following the sampling, the building will be re-adjusted to a high side pressure of and the test repeated.

K-310-3.2 was evacuated at 0200 in preparation for a converter charge. K-310-3.4 was returned to cascade operation at 0700. Converters in both these cells are being replaced with units containing

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade for the day ending 0800, 2-6-47, was in error. The correct value is 99.5%.

The atrees efficiency of the separating cascade during this report period was 99.4%.

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Day Ending 0700, 2-7-47

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		To-Day	Daily Av. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship	Storage
(	P <u>roduction - K<sub>e</sub>t</u> 2-2035 0-3 <b>327</b>	2.740 1246.957	•	18.194 8481.210		708247.938
. (	<u>USAGES - K.T</u> K-25 Naste <sup>8</sup> C-616 C-936 S-50 C-934	<b>938.</b> 01		8439.38	1	Stock <u>im. &amp; Storage</u> 15130.380 43701.07 1913.83 76663.94 223.86
	SHIPMENTS - KST C-2035	3.056		16.370		
	INTERPLANT FLOW KgG K-A02-9 Conc. K-311-1 Conc.	2822 2291368 1180347	2822 4441293 7750304			
1,	RATES-Scf/day 2-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	<b>388</b> 0	<b>3638</b>			·
	CONC. C-616 IN EUNGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0x10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0x10-6			
i	POWER LOAD-LAW. Total V. F. Total 120 V.F.	133.1 / 4.9	133.5 4,9			
	G-74 AND DRY AIR-Scf/ G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	<u>/min</u> . 41.8 5200 11500	38.4 5050 12100			

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# PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 2-5-47 to 0800 2-6-47

### PART I

### Summery of Events

Miversion Control - All equipment transfers to or from the RR area of Plant II will have to be made through the equipment exchange portal at K-306-1. The portal will be open on day shift from 0830 to 0930, and from 1300 to 1400. At times other than these, equipment can be brought in by arrangement with the Area V foreman. However, no equipment will be released from the RR area at times other than those listed on day shift.

Operations - K-310-3.8 and K-310-3.6 were returned to cascade operation at 1410 and 0345 respectively on completion of the installation of:

converters. K-310-3.4 was evacuated at 0300 for converter replacement.

The fans on the K-25 process water cooling towers were shutdown at 2000 to aid in thawing ice formations in the towers. The process water temperature was raised from 75°F to 78°F. To compensate for this increase, the pressure of the system was raised from 47 to 55 psig to aid in maintaining normal coolant temperatures in the plant. By 0800, the ice formations in the towers were starting to break up.

The streamefficiency of the separating cascade was 99.8%

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Day Ending 0700, 2-6-47

	To-day	Daily Avg. This North	To-Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - KeT C-2035 C-5327	2.748		15.454 7234.253	707002.183
USACES - KoT K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 8-50 Waste C-934	1311.66	•	7501.37	Stock Feed Rm. & Storage 11:51:30.380 39114.42 1913.83 76663.94 223.86
SHIP MENTS - Kot 6-2035	2.429		13.714	
KgT K-402-9 Conc. K-311-1 Conc.	2822 1181327 8820321	2822 4441283 2260295		
PURCE RATES-Sef/day L-312-1 (Top) L-312-2 (Side)	3315	3649	•	
CONG. C-616 IN PURCE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10-6	1.0 m 10-6		
POWER LOAD-My Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	133.0 4.9	133.7 4.9		
G-7/ AND DRY AIR-Sec G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	A.0 A50	37.7 5020 12220		

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# PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 2-4-47 to 0800 2-5-47

#### PART I

# Summery of Events

<u>Diversion Control</u> - Personnel whose Plant II badges include a red star, and those persons accompanying them, will be admitted to the product withdrawal station in addition to those previously reported.

Standard Operating Procedures - The following Standard Operating Procedures are being issued:

Coolant Circulating Pump Failure - This procedure has been revised to comply with the policy of eliminating shaft rotation by hand.

Operation of Kinney Vacuum Pumps - This procedure has also been revised to eliminate shaft rotation by hand.

Steam Distribution Emergency - This procedure presents the method of steam distributation during any emergency, to insure an uninterrupted supply to the G-74 plant.

Operations — The tails pressures in the odd cells of K-306-4 were raised from during the 8-4 shift. The even cells of the building will be raised as rapidly as cascade conditions permit.

K-310-3.6 was evacuated to the cascade at 0140 in preparation for the replacement of the present with converters tubed with

K-303-3 was isolated at 0750, as a precautionary measure, when VF freder 202 tripped. The building was returned to normal operation by 0758.

The steam efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.85.

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Day Ending 0700, 2-5-47

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	To=day	Daily Avg. This North	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Stores
PRODUCTION - Ket				
C-2035	2.723		12.706	
G-5327	1270.265		<b>5957</b> 。242	<b>705726.</b> 030
				Stock
USAGES - KOT				Feed Rm. & Storage
K-25 Waste				115130.380
C-616	1290.12	- ·	61.89.71	40426.03
<b>C-936</b>	•			1913.83
<b>8-</b> 50 <b>Wasto</b> <b>C-93</b> 4	•			76663°94 223°86
<del></del>				223000
SHIPMENTS - KAT				
G-2035	4.784		10.885	
INTERPLANT FLOW				
KgT	2882	2882	•	
K-402-9 Conc.	1151304	5561285		
K-311-1 Conc.	1180387	6660295		
PURCE RATES-Set/de	T.			
K-312-1 (Top)	<b>65</b>	<b>\$</b>		
K-312-2 (Side)	3205	3733		
CONC. C-616 IN				
PURCE CASCADE				
Top				
Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	$1.0 \times 10^{-6}$		
POWER LOAD -MY				•
Total V.F.	133.4	133.9		
Total 120 V.F.	4.9	4.9		₩
G-74 AND DRY ATR	Sof/win_			
G-74 Rate	40.3	34.4		
Dry Air Rate	5200	4988		•
Ambient Air Re	te 12200	11850		

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# PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 2-3-47 to 0800 2-4-47

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# Summery of Events

Diversion Control. The K-306-7 product withdrawal station was restricted under the following controls at 1600.

- 1. Entry to the product withdrawal station is restricted to those persons having a properly signed and dated pass, used also for entry to the storage areas, and persons accompanying an individual having such a pass. Maintenance personnel may enter the station only if their names are on a properly authorized work order for work in the station.
- 2. Access shall be only through the south gate. The east gate is sealed and shall be used only for emergency exit.
- 3. Inspection of passes and work orders will be made by the operators in the product withdrawal station.

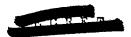
Operations- Waste condensation in K-631 stopped from 1145 to 1445 to allow the surge drum pressure to build up.

K-310-3.8 was isolated during the 12-8 shift for replacement of the present con-

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.9%.

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Day Ending 0700. 2-4-47

	LEY EISTING COOK 2 2 4				
	Today	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	S <b>tock</b> Ship	Storage
PRODUCTION - KgT C-2035 C-5327	2.721 1138.393		9 <b>.</b> 983 4 <b>686.</b> 977		704459.001
USACES - K_T K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste C-934	1300.77		<b>4899 • 59</b>	Stock Feed Rm. & 115130.38 37593.07 1913.83 76663.94 223.86	Storage O
SHIPMENTS - K <sub>g</sub> T C-2035	6.101		6.101		
INTERPLANT FLOW KgT K-402-9 Conc. K-311-1	2822 7761335 7740303	2 <b>82</b> 2 2211270 22 <b>6</b> 0265		•	
PURCE RATES-Scf/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	4770	3909			
CONC. C-616 IN PURCE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 X 10	-6 1.0 x 10	<b>.6</b>		
POWER LOAD-Nw. Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	1 <b>33.</b> 9				•
G-74 and DRY AIR-Sef/t	<u>nin</u> . 36.1	L 32.4			

G-74 Rate 36.1 32.4
Dry Air Rete 4950 4917
Ambient Air Rate 11500 11733

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# PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 1-31-47 to 0800 2-3-47

### PART I

# Summary of Events

Operations The monthly plant inventory was taken on January 31, from 1300 to 1410. Crude feed was stopped from 1245 to 1410, but resumed at a rate sufficient to make up the loss. Waste condensation in K-631 was stopped from 1245 to 1430.

K-402-5.10 was returned to cascade operation on completion of the converter change to This is the last cell presently scheduled for a converter change in K-27 for the experimental program to determine one-stream separation performance and characteristics of improved barriers.

Operations were otherwise normal as evidenced by the high stream efficiencies through the report period.

The streem efficiencies of the separating cascade weres

Day Ending 0800	Efficiency
2-1-47 2-2-47	99.9% 100.0%
2-3-47	99.7%

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From 1300, 1-31-47 To 0700, 2-3-47

·	Three Day	Daily Avg.	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - KgT C-2035 C-5327	7.262 3548.584		7。262 3 <b>5</b> 48 <b>.</b> 584	703320 <b>.60</b> 8
USAGES - KoT K-25 Weste C-616 * C-936 S-50 Weste C-934	3598.82		3 <del>5</del> 98.82	Stock Feed Rm. & Storage 115130.380 38883.18 1913.83 76663.94 223.86
SHIPMENTS - KeT C-2035	÷		<b>@</b> .	•
INTERPLANT FLOW  KgT  K-402-9 Conc.  K-311-1 Conc.	Day Ending 0700, 2-1-47 2822 4451304 5520281	0700, 2-2 2822 1141243 5600199	-47 0700, 2- 2822 1171216 3320281	2822 1151254
PURGE RATES - Sef. L-312-1 (Top) L-312-2 (Side)	<u>36</u> 23	3344	<b>3</b> 612	<u>-</u> 3478
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side 1	•0 <del>1</del> 0 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0.10-6	1.020-6	1.0210-6
Total VoFo Total 120 VoFo	134.1 4.9	134.0 4.9	134.1 4.9	134.1
G-74 AND DRY AIR- G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Re	36.1 4 <b>80</b> 0	30.1 4950 11800	31.1 4850 11900	30.6 4900 11850

<sup>\*</sup> Effective this month a crude feed conc. of 1127102% is used

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# PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 1-30-47 to 0800 1-31-47

### PART I

# Summary of Events

Operations— The waste rate in K-631 was increased from 3.5 #units/hour to 4.5 #units/hour from 1230 to 0320 in order to pull the surge drum pressure down from the maximum allowable pressure.

which was being approached. It is important that the surge pressure be kept below this set maximum as three of the twelve surge drums are at present frequently isolated from the system for surge-purge service, reducing the effective surge capacity by 25%.

K-402-5.10 was isolated at 2245 for replacement of the present converters

This is the last cell in K-27 scheduled

K-402-5.8 was returned to cascade operation at 2300.

K-301-4.5 was off-stream for an instrument check.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.8%.

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Day Ending 1300, 1-31-47

	Today	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
C-2035 C-5327	3.51 1860,32		84 .84 40438 .07	699773.41
				Stock Feed Rm. & Storag
SAGES - EgT K-25 Haste C-616 C-936	1611.82		40417.94	115130.38 42487.04 1913.83 76663.94
S-50 Waste C-934	·			223.86
SHIPMENTS - KgT C-2035	5 <b>.76</b>		85.93	••
	Day Endin 0700, 1-31-		•	
INTERPLANT FLOW  RgT  K=402-9 Conco  K-311-1 Conco	2822 1161415 1120341	2822 5561395 4450384		
PURGE RATES-Sof/day  K-312-1 (Top)  K-312-2 (Side)	- 4170	5735		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 m	10 <sup>-6</sup> 1.0 x 10	<b>)-</b> 6	
Total V. F. Total 120 V. F.	135.7 . 4.9	152.3 4.5		•
G-74 AMD DRY AIR-Sof/m	48.2	56.2		
bient Air Rate	5 <b>50</b> 0 9100			

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# PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 1-29-47 to 0800 1-30-47

# PART I

### Summary of Events

Operations— A plantwide cascade inventory will be taken at 1300 on January 31.

The tops concentration passed through a minimum point during the 8-4 shift and has shown a regular rise since that time.

K-402-5.8 was isolated at 2245 to replace the present converters with K-402-5.6 was returned to cascade operation at 0235, upon completion of the converter replacements.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.7%

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Day Ending 0700, 1-30-47

	To-day	Daily Avg. This Honth	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - K.T C-2035 C-5327	2.93 1288.05		81.33 38577.75	697913.98
USAGES - KoT K-25 Waste C-615 3-936 8-50 Waste C-934	1304.57		38806.12	8tock Feed Rm. & Storage 115130.38 38569.80 1913.83 76663.94 223.86
SHIPMENTS - K.T.	2.35		80.17	•
KgT K-402-9 Conc. K-311-1 Conc.	2822 2231412 4490348	2822 1161395 4450394		
E RATES_Sof/day  K-312-1 (Top)  K-312-2 (Side)	3913	3720		•
CONG. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>		
Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	133.7 4.9	132.2 4.5		•
Q-74 AND DRY AIR-Scf/min			•	
0-74 Rate * Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	48.3 5400 8300	35.8 5090 10352		

<sup>#</sup> G-74 Rate for Day Ending 0700, 1-29-47 was 36.8 scf/min.

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# PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 1-28-47 to 0800 1-29-47

### PART I

### Summary of Events

Diversion Control - During the next two weeks, while the mechanics of operating Plant II with a restricted RR area are being worked out, all maintenance and inspection work within the RR area shall be held to the absolute minimum required for continuous operation. There will be no design change work or instrument alignments made. Admittance to the RR area shall be only under orders signed by a Plant II Area Foreman or Area Supervisor.

Operations - K-402-5.4 was returned to cascade operation at 0555, upon the completion of the converter replacements. K-402-5.6 was isolated at 2245 for replacement of the present converters also

A leak was found in an instrument line to stage 5 in K-306-7.12. A check showed that the air inleakage was reduced within limits, but the G-74 rate was still approximately 14 scf/cay.

K-305-12.5 was off-stream for a dynamic instrument alignment.

Tests were run in K-303-2.7 and K-303-2.9 to determine if external coolant leaks could be repaired while the cells remained on-stream. The investigations involved test runs to determine if the stage temperatures could be maintained sufficiently low, by lowering stage pressures, while the cell was operating on-stream with the combant system shutdown. It was found to be possible to hold the stamperature of cell by grading cell 8 pressures com

The stream efficiency or the separating cascade was 99.4%.

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Day Ending 0700, 1-29-47

PRODUCTION . KgT	To-day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
C-2035 C-5327	2, 63 1286, 20		78。40 37289。70	696627 <sub>°</sub> 07
USAGES - KgT				Stock Feed Rm. & Storage
K-25 Wasts C-616 C-936 S-50 Wasts C-934	1295.21		37501.55	115130,38 39874,36 1913,83 76663,94 223,86
SHIPMENTS - KgT C-2035	5 <sub>0</sub> 43		<b>77</b> <sub>0</sub> 82	
INTERPLANT FLOW  IgT  K-402-9 Conc. X-311-1 Conc.	2822 5541333 6630252	2822 2251394 2260395		
PURGE RATES-Sof/day K-312-1 (top) K-312-2 (side)	3 <b>53</b> 5	<b>371</b> 3		
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>		
POWER LOAD - Mw Total VoF. Total 120 V.F.	133 <sub>0</sub> 3 4 <sub>0</sub> 9	132.2 4.5		
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Saf	42.9	<b>35</b> <sub>0</sub> 5		
Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	5 <b>50</b> 0 9 <b>100</b>	5079 10426		·
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# PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 1-27-47 to 0800 1-28-47

### PART I

# Summery of Events

Operations E-402-5.4 was isolated at 2245 in preparation for a converter change. The present units in this cell are being replaced with converters

K-306-5.12 was off-stream from 1335 to 1505 for a check of the cell instrumentation.

The high side pressures in K-306-4 and the odd cells of K-306-5 will be as soon as the tops concentration rises sufficiently.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.6%.

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	PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT		Day Ending 0700, 1-28-47		
Deart mint v.m	To-day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage	
PRODUCTION - KgT C-2035 C-5327 +	2.73 1287.14		<b>75.77</b> 36003.50	6 <b>95342.4</b> 5	
USAGES - KgT K-25 Waste	•			Stock Feed Rm. & Storage 115130.38	
C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste	1295.37		36206.34	41178.24 1913.83 76663.95	
C-934 SHIPMENTS - KgT		<del>-</del> 		223.86	
C-2035	5.56		72.39		
INTERPLANT FLOW -	2000				
K-402-9 Conc. K-311-1 Conc.	2822 4461285 5520271	2822 3341393 2230392	•		
PURGE RATES-Sef/day K-312-1 (Top)		_		•	
K-312-2 (Side)	3573	3720			
CONC. C-616 IN PUBGE CASCADE Top		•			
Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			
POWER LOAD-Mw. Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	133.5 4.9	132.1 4.5			
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roduction from 0700 1-24-47 to 0700 1-27-47 was 3863.85 KgT

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Ambient Air Bate

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## CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 1-24-47 to 0800 1-27-47

#### PART I SUMMARY OF EVENTS

Operations - The pressure level of Section K-306 is being further raised, continuing the program of pressure optimization. On January 24. tails pressures in K-306-1.5 through K-306-2.5 were

the approximate rate of one cell every 20 minutes. Following this adjustment the tops concentration dropped, but recovered quickly without affecting production. On January 26, pressures in K-306-2.7 through K-306-2.4 were

Again a slight decrease was noticed in product concentration. Pressure adjustments were made in K-306-2.2 and all cells of K-306-3

12 - 8 shift of January 27. The tails pressures will be through K-306-5.13 as rapidly as the tops concentration will allow.

K-305-12.7 was isolated on January 24 for a dynamic instrument check.

K-402-5.2 was returned to cascade operation at 0945, January 25, after the installation of converters.

A leak was found on a weld at the stage 5 control valve of K-306-7.12, and repaired. However, leak testing is still in progress since the inleakage remained abnormal.

The stream efficiencies of the Separating Cascade were:

Day Ending 0800	Efficiency			
1-25-47	99.6%			
1-26-47	99.8%			
1-27-47	99.95%			

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## PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

From 0700, 1-24-47 To 0700, 1-27-47

		y Avg. To Da Month This M		Stock p Storage
PRODUCTION - KgT C-2035 C-5327	8,20 <del>-9869,85</del> -3863,35	34	73.04 716.36	694055.31
USAGES - KeT I-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste C-934	3909.03	34	<u>Feed</u> 4910.97	8 tock 1 Rm. & Storage 115130.38 38363.49 1913.83 76853.92 223.86
SHIPMENTS - KgT 0 -2035	2.43		, <b>66.</b> 83	·
	Day Ending 0700, 1-25-47		700 7 <u>-47</u>	DAILY AVG. THIS HONTH
Kgf K_402-9 Conc. K_311-1 Conc.	2822 2291258 2240283	2822 2281.257 7760245	2822 4461 <i>2</i> 75 3360285	2822 1131392 1110400
FURGE RATES - Sef/day  K-312 - 1 (Top)  K-312 - 2 (Side)	<del></del> 3623	3257	3243	3726
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 X 10-6	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10
POWER LOAD - No. Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	133.4 4.6	133.5 4.7	133.4	132.1 4,5
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Scf/mi G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate* Ambient Air Rate**	35.2 4950	32.0 5185 9500	26.9 5100 8800	35.3 5056 10547

# Day Ending 0700, 1\_24\_47 - 5000 Sof/min ## Day Ending 0700, 1\_24\_47 -10900 Sof/min

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### PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 1-24-47 to 0800 1-24-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - The ten cells in K-306-3 and K-306-4 that still remained during the 8 - 4 shift, completing the present pressure optimization in section K-306. It is significant that during this program, the product concentration showed a steady increase while the normal daily product commitment was withdrawn. It appears as though the K-306 section, while operating at the stage pressures previous to adjustment, may have been restricting upflow to such an extent as to limit product withdrawal or product purity. From these observed reactions during the pressure optimization program, it appears as though the daily product withdrawal may be increased or the product purity raised.

Waste condensation was stopped from 1000 to 1315 to allow the K-631 surge drum pressure to increase, as it was approaching the set minimum operating pressure.

The third phase of the improved barrier test program was begun when K\_402-5.2 was isolated at 1040 in preparation for a converter change. The converters in the even cells of K\_402-5 are to be replaced by converters

To date has been installed in the even cells of K\_402-4, have been placed in the odd cells of K\_402-5.

E-305-12.10 was off-stream for an instrument alignment, and K-306-5.12 was shutdown for a static instrument check.

The stream efficiency of the Separating Cascade was 99.5%.

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### PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 1-24-47

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	To de	Daily Avg.	To Date This Month	St Ship_	ock Storage
C-2035 C-5327	2.7 1066.9		64.84 30852.51		690419.11
USAGES - KgT  K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 . S-50 Waste C-954	<b>1296</b> .70		31001.94	Feed Rr	50ck 5130.38 5130.58 18142.68 1913.83 76853.92 223.86
SHIPMENTS - KgT	2.	<b>53</b>	64.40		ν. Σ
INTERPLANT FLOW  KgT  K-402-9 Cone.  K-511-1 Cone.	2 <b>822</b> 1201289 1180 <b>3</b> 07	2822 1111410 1110410			
FURGE RATES-Sof/day R-312-1 (Top) K-512-2 (Side)	41.46	8771	•		
CONC. C-616 IN FURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			

FOWER LOAD-Nw.

Total V.F. 135.0 131.9

Total 120 V.F. 4.6 4.4

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\* Waste condensing off 3.25 hrs. to raise K-831

surge drum pressure.

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### PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 1-22-47 to 0880 1-23-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - The program to optimize the pressures in the K-306 section was accelerated to a rate of one cell per hour, since previous adjustments did not show any effect on the tops concentration. Pressures were in the remaining three cells of K-306-2, in nine cells in K-306-3, in eight cells of K-306-4, and in two cells of K-306-5. Nine cells of K-306-3 and K-306-4 and will be adjusted the next two shifts, completing this phase of the program.

The amount of waste removed daily in K-631 is to be experimentally lowered to 84 #units. It had previously been set at 84.8 #units, the crude feed rate, but the surge drums in K-631 have shown a regular decrease in pressure since that time.

K-505-8.5 was off-stream for an instrument check.

A total G-74 and air inleakage of approximately 12 scf/day is still reported in K-306-7.12. Leak testing operations are proceeding.

A special weekly "T" analysis of C-2035 product will be made by the laboratory in order to check on the amounts of fluorocarbon contaminant present. A special cylinder of product was withdrawn during the 12-8 shift for this purpose. In the future the analyses will be made on product withdrawn during the 12-8 shifts every Monday. Upon completion of each analysis, the material will be shipped to the consumer.

The stream efficiency of the separating caseade was 99.9%.

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### PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 1-23-47

PRODUCTION - KgT	To day	Baily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
C=2035 C=5327	2. <b>74</b> 1 <b>25</b> 1.86		62.09 29 <b>7</b> 85.57	689354.26
TOACTO V_M	1	-		Stock Feed Rm. & Storage
USAGFS - KgT K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-60 Waste C-934	1289.05		29705.24	115130.38 39133.09 1913.83 76853.92 223.86
SHIPMENTS - KgT	2.37	·	61_87	
0-1000	. 2007		0120.	4
INTERPLANT FLOW  RgT  K=402-9 Conc.  K=311-1 Conc.	2822 7741263 6640293	2822 1121421 2230422		
PURGE RATES-Sof/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	3671	3754		
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> 1	.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
FOWER LOAD-Mw. Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	133°3 4°6	151.8 4.4	• •	
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sef/m	in.			
G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	30.1 4950 11700	<b>35</b> .7 5055 10669		

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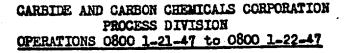
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#### PART I Summary of Events

Operations - The adjustment of K-306 cell pressures to a more optimum level for present production was continued at a rate of three cells per shift. The high side pressures of the following cells were during this report periods

K-306-5.14 ) K-306-5.13 ) K-306-2.12 )	During the 8 - 4 Shift
K-306-5.11 ) K-306-5.9 ) K-306-2.10 )	During the 4 - 12 Shift
K-306-5.7 ) K-306-5.5 ) K-306-2.8 )	During the 12 - 8 Shift

The test in K-312-2.12 to determine the consumption rate at 60 cycle operation was stopped when the bellows assembly of a Valley Iron pump failed. Another test is scheduled to be run in K-312-1, also at 60 cycles, to secure further information on the rate of consumption.

Leak testing was resumed in K-306-7.12 after the repair of the leak at the seal feed storage tank did not completely isolate the total inleakage.

K-306-4.5 was off-stream for a control valve check.

The stream efficiency of the Separating Cascade was

99.9%.

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DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT Day Ending 0700, 1-22-47

TD0777777	To day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Ship	Stock Storage
PRODUCTION—KgT C-2035 C-6527	2,73 1298,48		59.35 28533.71		688103.65
usages-k <sub>e</sub> t				Feed	Stock Rm. & Storage
K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste C-934	1291.96	:	28416.20		115130.58 40453.79 1915.83 76853.92 223.86
SHIPMENTS-KET C-2035	6.19		59.50		
INTERPLANT FLOW  KgT  K-402-9 Conc.  K-311-1 Conc.	2822 1121261 1140303	2822 1151434 1130432			
PURGE RATES-Sof/day K-212-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	3452	3 <b>7</b> 58			•
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			
FOWER LOAD-Mwo Total VoF Total 120 VoF.	132.7 4.6	131 <sub>2</sub> 8 4 <sub>2</sub> 4			•
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sof	/min. 30.1	<b>36</b> .0			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	5000 10850	5060 10620			

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#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - High side pressure adjustments were continued in the K-306 section at the rate of two cells per shift. The following cells were

K-306 - 5.8 K-306 - 2.11 K-306 - 2.13 K-306 - 5.10 K-306 - 5.12 K-306 - 2.14

Since the tops concentration is still slowly rising, three cells per shift will be optimized starting on the 8 - 4 shift, January 21.

K-306 - 3.5 was off-stream for an instrument alignment.

The leak in K-306 - 7.12 was found at the seal feed storage tank and repaired.

A plantwide sanitary water failure occurred from 1830 to 1840 when a valve was accidentally closed at the Sanitary Water plant. There were no line recorder failures resulting from this water failure.

Waste will continue to be condensed at a uniform rate equal to that for normal feed, as long as the K-631 surge drum pressure remains between 1.0 and 2.5 psia.

The 60 Cycle consumption test in K-312 - 2.12 has been continued. Results to date show a consumption rate approximately three to four times greater than during normal operation.

The stream efficiency of the separating Cascade was 99.7%.

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### PART II DATEX PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 1-21-47

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	To-day	Daily Avg. This North	To Date This North	Stock Ship Storage	
<u>PRODUCTION - 1 or</u> C-2035 C-5327	2 <i>.7</i> 7 1293.88		56.62 27235.23	685517.58	
USACES-KcT K-25 Wasto C-616 C-936 S-50 Wasto C-934	1313.66		27124.24	Stock Feed Rm. & Storage 11:51:30.38 362:34.03 1913.83 76853.92 223.86	
SHIPPENTS-Kot C-2035	5.43	-	5 <b>3.</b> A		
INTERPLANT FLOM  Kg?  K-402-9 Cone.  K-311-1 Cone.	2822 9961355 9930392	2822 8851434 1160435			
PURCE RATES—Sef/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	2779	3774			
CCNC: C-616 IN PURCE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			
Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	132.0 4.5	131.7			
G=74 AND DRY AIR-Sof G=74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	<u>/min</u> 31.1 5300 9900	36.3 5063 10608			

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# CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800, 1-17-47 to 0800, 1-18-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Diversion Control - Three janitors have been assigned to the RR Foreman of Flant II. These men will work straight days covering the area seven days a week. In addition to their normal work they will check the A. C. pump basins and drain the accumulated oil daily.

Standard Operating Procedures - The following Standard Operating Procedures are being issued on January 20.

Lube Oil Failure - This procedure has been revised to stipulate building isolation with by-pass valves closed in case of building lube oil failure. A procedure for K-631 lube oil failure has been added.

Battery station control checks - In the future process personnel will make periodic checks of battery stations supplying control power for switch gear.

Failure of recirculating water supply to K-1101 and K-1201 - This procedure sets forth the method by which fire water will be used as cooling water if the normal water supply fails.

Complete power failure to section K-800 - The procedure outlines the method of operation of section K-800 in case of complete power failure. A gasoline driven fire pump is to be started to supplant the electrically driven pumps.

Manual operation of the oil accumulator system - This procedure is related to the previous subject; power failure in K-800. The accumulator system supplies oil under pressure to the cones of the discharge valves of the recirculating pumps. Under normal operation the oil is recirculated and pressured by an electric motor driven centrifugal pump and air compressor respectively. In case of a power failure affecting this equipment, plant air may be valved in to maintain operation of the oil system.

Operations - The program of pressure optimization in the K-306 section was continued. As the tops concentration continued to show an increase, the rate of pressure adjustment to the cells of the K-306 section was increased from one to two cells per shift. The following cell pressures were adjusted.

•		1-17-47
K-306-1.8		1-17-47
K-306-1.6		1-18-47
K-306-1.4		1-18-47
K-306-1.2		1-18-47
K-306-2.1	•	1-19-47
K-306-2.3		1-19-47
K-306-2.5		

K-306-5.2		1-19-47
K-306-2-7	•	1-19-47
K-306-5-4		1-19-47
K-306-2.9		1-20-47
K-306-5.6		1-20-47

K-306-6.8 and K-306-7.13 were off-stream on January 17 for instrument alignments.

K-306-7.12 was isolated and purged for the replacement of stage 5 and 6 control valves on January 17. The inner bearings of these valves were found corroded, accounting for the previous poor control. The cell was returned to cascade operation on January 18, but again was isolated on the basis of a leak of approximately 20 sof/day. To date the source of the inleakage has not been determined.

A cascade split was effected for two hours and forty minutes at K-302-3.4 on January 18 to stop a nitrogen slug which originated when K-402-5.6 was put on stream upon completion of a seal change.

The 60 cycle corrosion test was started in K-312-2.12 on Jamuary 17. The run will be concluded on January 20, to avoid possible pump bellows failure. It is expected that a test of this duration will yield results from which a comparison of consumption can be made with present normal operation.

Effective at 0700 January 20, waste will condensed in K-631 at a uniform rate to yield a total for 24 hours equal to the amount of crude material fed, normally 26 kg. units T. This rate will be maintained unless the K-631 surge drum pressure varies beyond certain limits, to be determined. The method of operation previous to this directive was to remove waste from the cascade at a rate sufficient to maintain a definite surge drum pressure.

The stream efficiencies of the separating cascade were:

Day Ending 0800	Efficiency
1-18-47	99.5%
1-19-47	99.8%
1-20-47	99.9%

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PART II
DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

From 0700, 1-17-47 To 0700, 1-20-47

	DALLI	PRODUCTION THE	OILL	•
	To-day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Wonth	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - KgT C-2035 C-5327	8.19 3 <b>29</b> 7.72		53 <b>.</b> 85 2594 <b>1.</b> 35	685517.58
USAGES - KgT K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste C-934	<b>3915.5</b> 0		25810.58	Stock Feed Rm. & Storage 115130.38 37547.67 1913.83 76853.92 223.86
SHIPMENTS - KgT C-2035	2.50		<b>47.</b> 88	
	Day-ending 0700, 1-18	0700, 1-19	0700, 1-20	Daily Avg. This Month
INTERPLANT FLOW  KgT  K-402-9 Conc.  K-311-1 Conc.	2822 7731392 7760525	2822 6661485 7720461	2822 7761365 7790388	2822 1121441 6770436
PURGE RATES-Scf/day  K-312-1 (Top)  K-312-2 (Side)	3800	4053	2752	3826
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10-6	1.0 x 10-6	1.0 x 10-6	1.0 x 10-6
POWER LOAD-Mw. Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	132.2 4.4	131.6 4.4	131.9 4.5	131.7
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Scf/r G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	<u>nin.</u> 34.2 5000 10400	38.0 5100 10375	30.1 5050 10100	36.5 5051 10645

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## CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 1-16-47 to 0800 1-17-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Diversion Control - The five doors that remained open between the operating floor and the RR area in Plant II have been looked closed. The remaining entrances, the special changehouses at K-312-2 and K-304-4, have not been put under guard control to date.

Operations - The stage pressures of K-306-1.14, K-306-1.12 and Upon completion of the converter changes in K-306-1.11 at 0735, the cell was returned to cascade operation at

K-306-2.6, K-306-3.2, K-306-4.3 and K-306-4.8 were isolated for instrument alignments. K-306-7.13 and K-306-6.8 were isolated at 0720 in preparation for static instrument checks during the 8-4 shift. Plugging checks were made on K-306-1.3, K-306-1.10, and K-306-4.3.

The special 60 cycle consumption test in K-312-2.12 has been delayed because of trouble which developed in the pumps.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.3%

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### PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 1-17-47

	To-day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	S <b>toc</b> l	k S <b>tora</b> g
RODUCTION - KgT	- Landa - Land	·			
C-2035	2.77		45 <b>.6</b> 6		
C-5327	1289.89		22121.97		681698.7
				Stock	
USAGES - Kgī				Feed Rm. &	Storage
K-25 Waste				115130	
C-616	1291.80		21895.08	35901	.91
C-936				1913	.83
S-50 Waste		· ·		76853	. 92
C-934				223	86
SHIPMENTS - KgT					
C-2035	2.40		45. 38		
INTERPLANT FLOW	0000	0000			
KgT	2822	2822			
K-402-9 Conc.	7791428	1111440	•		
K-311-1 Conc.	3350484	1110430			
PURGE RATES-Sof/day					
K-312-1 (Top)	-	•		•	
K-312-2 (Side)	3 <b>933</b>	3881			
CONC. C-616 IN				•	
PURGE CASCADE		•			
				•	
Top	- 	1.0 x 10-6	}		
Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 % 10			
POWER LOAD-Mw.			_		
Total V. F.	132.1	131.7			
Total 120 V. F.	4.3	4.4	•		
				•	
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sci	f/min.				
G-74 Rate	36.1	37.0	).		
Dry Air Rate	5500	5051			
Ambient Air Rate	8800	10712			
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### PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 1-15-17 to 0800 1-16-17

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#### Summery of Events

Miversion Control - A system of maintenance coverage for the RR area of Plant II has been adopted to conform with the diversion control regulations. A special portal has been constructed at K-305-1 to check all equipment entering and leaving the area. He maintenance man, other than those routinely assigned to the area for seal change, Valley Iron Pump repair, lubrication, and relamping, will be permitted in the RR area unless following a definite job specified by a work order. This applies to process, electrical, and instrument maintenance. As previously reported, the foremen-in-charge will write work orders for maintenance within the RR area. He in turn will notify the RR fereman of the park specified. The work in turn will be covered and inspected by the RR operating personnel working out of the K-305-12 cell floor office.

Effective at 1200, January 15, the large double doors opening to the cell floor in Plant II will be locked elegad. All entrance to the RR area will be made only through the E-312-2 and E-304-4 change houses which have been adapted for clothes change and search under guard control.

Operations - A complete plant inventory was taken at 1300. Feed and waste removal were resumed by 1450.

Pressures in K-306-1 thru K-306-5 will be to approach a more optimum stage pressure for operations at the present production. K-306-1.5 and K-306-1.7 were on January 14. Cells 9 and 13 of K-306-1 were January 15. The pressure adjustments will continue as rapidly as possible as long as an established product concentration is maintained.

K-306-1.11 was evacuated to the cascade at 0600, preparatory to a change of #1 and #5 convertors, which were confirmed abnormally plugged.

K-305-8.7 was off-stream for an instrument check. K-306-4.3, K-306-4.8, and K-306-2.6 were off-stream by 0700 in preparation for instrument alignments during the 8-4 shift.

K-312-2.12 is being prepared for a test rum at 60 cycles to determine the amount of corrosion consumption at this level compared to present operation. Results of this test will largely determine if 60 cycle operation will be adopted when the installation of carbon seals on the remaining pumps is complete. Higher frequency operation is desirable as less equipment need be in operation for normal purge service, and higher purge rates may be obtained.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.8%.

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### PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 1-16-47

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	To-day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	S <b>toc</b> Ship	k Storage
PRODUCTION - KgT C-2035 C-5327	2.75 1277.01		42.89 20832.08		679133。68
USAGES - KgT				Stoo Feed Rm.	& Storage
K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste C-934	1307.29		20603.28	3 <b>7</b> 30 193 7683	06.54 13.83 53.92 23.86
SHIPMENTS - KgT C-2035	5. 52		42.98		
KgT K-402-9 Conc. K-311-1 Conc.	2822 2251434 7780547	2822 1121441 1110430			
PURGE RATES-Sof/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	_ 2943	3877			
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top		1 <sub>0</sub> 0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			
Side  POVER LOAD-Mw. Total V.F. Total 120 V. F.	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> 132.0 4.4	131.6 4.4			
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Scf/ G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	<u>min.</u> 34.9 5300 9100	37.0 5 <b>021</b> 10839			

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### PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 1-14-47 to 0800 1-15-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Diversion control - Operations in the Plant II RR area were assumed by the special flying squad, effective at 1700. However, the RR area is not at this time restricted to Plant II employees. The plan was put into effect at this time in order to develope the system effectively before ultimate area restrictions are applied. All work orders are being written by the "foreman-in-charge" on the operating floor, who in turn is notifying the RR area foreman of the details of the work to be performed. The RR foreman then accepts the orders on completion of the work.

Operations - Stage pressures in cells 5 and 7 of K-306-1
a continuation of the program to adjust K-306 pressures to
a level more optimum for present production.

K-306-5.14 was returned to cascade operation at 1235 upon completion of the converter changes.

K-306-5.1 and K-305-10.9 were off-stream for dynamic instrument alignments.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.8%.

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# PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT Day Ending 0700, 1-15-47

	To-day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - Ket C-2035 C-5327	2.75 1246.04	•	40.14 19555.07	679133.68
USACES = KoT K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste C-934	1232.57		19295。99	Stock Feed Rm. & Storage 115130.38 38720.55 1913.83 76853.92 223.86
SHIPMENTS-Ket C-2035	3.01		37.46	
INTERPLANT FLOW  KgT  K-402-9 Conc.  K-311-1 Conc.	2822 3401509 4450534	2822 1131452 1140423		
PURCE RATES-Sef/ds K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	3263	3944		
CONC. C-616 IN PURCE CASCADE Top Side	1.040-6	1.0:10-6		•
POWER LOAD-No Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	131.8 4.4	131.6 4.4		
G-74 AND DRY AIR- G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	30.1 5000	1 37.2 5001 10964		

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### PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 1-13-47 to 0800 1-14-47

#### PART I Summary of Events

<u>Diversion Control</u> - Atmospheric seals in Plant II will be checked once a month. To coordinate this program, a schedule has been issued, effective January 13. listing the order of the buildings to be checked daily.

Operations - Building K-301-1 was evacuated to the cascade, starting at 1120, to prevent excessive stage temperatures while changes were made in the process water system. A line from the sanitary water header was tied into the building process water return header, on the building side of the block valve, to serve as a make-up source for the process recirculating system. K-301-1 assumed normal operation by 1520.

- ∠ K-402-5.9 was returned to cascade operation at 2302 upon completion of
- K-305-12.8 was offstream for an instrument alignment.
- A complete plant inventory is scheduled for 1300, January 15.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.5%.

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### PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 1-14-47

		Day Ending 0700, 1-14-47			
PODUCTION - Ket	To-day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage	
C-2035 C-5327	2.74 1152.80		37•39 18309.03	<b>677891.</b> 60	
USAGES - Igt	•			Stock Feed Rm. and Storage	
K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste C-934	1291.77		18063.42	115130.38 19231.15 1913.83 76853.92 223.86	
SHIPMENTS - KgT	,			*	
C-2035	5.42		34.45		
INTERPLANT FLOW					
KgT K-402-9 Gonc. K-311-1 Gonc.	2822 '7781517 1130462	2822 1111440 1110410			
PURCE RATES _ Sef	/day		•	. '	
K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side	3548	3996			
CONC. C_616 IN PU	RGE CASCADE			,	
Top Side	1.0 × 10-	1.0 x 10-		•	
POWER LOAD - MW					
Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	131.1 4.4	131.6 4.4	•		
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G-74 AND DRY AIR	Scf/min				
G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rat	3357 4950 e 10332	37•7 5001 11045			

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PROCESS DIVISION
OPERATIONS 0800 1-10-47 to 0800 1-13-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Diversion Control - Effective at 0800, January 12, Plant II area restrictions were again returned. The badge exchange system was modified to alleviate the difficulties previously encountered. Portals #1, #2 and #3 are to be used only by personnel regularly employed in the corresponding areas. Only yellow Plant II badges will be issued at these portals. Personnel having Plant II badges at portals #4 or #5 will continue to use these access gates. If the Plant II badges of any of these employees cannot be located, visitor's buttons will be issued to them. Personnel desiring temporary access to Plant II will be admitted through portals #4 and #5 only. Carbide plant badges will be exchanged for visitor's buttons. The Plant II pass will not be issued until further notice.

On January 11 and 12, three motors in K-306-4 burned. These motors had not been lubricated for ten days as part of a test to determine the optimum lubrication time for the section. The test was run as part of the diversion control program in an attempt to reluce operations within the RR area to a minimum. In the future motors in the K-306 section will be lubricated weekly. Those in the K-305 and K-304 section will be lubricated once every two weeks.

Operations - The tops flow from K-312-1, the top purge building, was changed from it's purge facilities to the Beach-Russ pump feed header of K-312-2 at 1445, January 10

A C-816 leak appeared in building K-301-1 at Oll5, Jammary 11, 1947. As the leak could not be found with the building on stream, K-301-1 was isolated from O210 to 0225 while the leak was isolated to cell 7. The building was again isolated, from the central control room, at 0600, when a rapid concentration rise occurred in the M2 channel. At this time cell 7 was being purged to atmospheric pressure for a negative analysis check, and nitrogen was being pulled to the cascade through the A outlet cell block valve which was not tightly closed to the cascade through the A outlet cell block valve which was not tightly closed. The building was set up on direct recycle and cells 2 and 4 were isolated with nitrogen. The remaining cells were put on stream at 0640. The A outlet of K-302-4.4 was pinched down to smooth out the resulting slug. Operations were normal by 1210. The leak in K-301-1.7 was found at #5 converter, repaired and the cell was back on stream by the 8-4 shift, Jamuary 12, 1947.

K-306-5.11, K-306-5.13 and K-402-5.7 were returned to cascade operation on January 10, following scheduled converter changes.

K-402-5.9 was taken off stream at 2145. January 12, 1947, for the replacement of the present converters with . This is the last cell scheduled to have installed. K-306-5.14 was taken off stream at 0445 for replacement of stage I and 6 converters, on a basis of confirmed plugs.

Product withdrawal was restricted the first two days of the report period because of low tops concentration. The concentration built up sufficiently on January 12, to allow enough product to be pulled to make up the deficiencies of the previous periods. The drop in concentration can be probably accounted for by the cascade disturbance from K-306-5.13 G-74 inleakage.

K=306=3.2 and K=306=3.4 were off on January 10 for instrument checks. The dynamic check of K=306=6.2 was also completed on this date.

Negative C-616 and C-216 analyses were obtained on the K-311-1 evacuation header at 2500, January 11, 1947.

The stream efficiencies of the separating cascade were:

Day Ending 0800	Efficiency	
1-11-47	99.1%	
1-12-47	99.5%	
1-13-47	99.8%	

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### PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

From	0700	1-10-47
To	0700	1-13-47

PRODUCTION - KgT		• 5	Date Ship	Stock Storage
C-2035 C-6327	8.15 4049.70	17:	34.65 156.23	676738.80
USAGES - KgT			Feed	Stock Rm. & Storage
K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste C-934	3895.07	16	771.65	115130.38 20522.92 1913.83 76853.92 223.86
SHIPMENTS - KgT	3.07		29,03	
INTERPLANT FLOW	Day Ending 0700, 1-11-4	7 0700, 1-12-4	7 0700, 1-13-47	Daily Avg. This Month
KgT K-402-9 Conc. K-511-1 Conc.	2822 1181457 7740513	2822 4421591 7730482	2822 1151584 7740453	2822 1111440 1150414
FURGE RATES-Sof/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	215 4252	<b>45</b> 66	3326	4054
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top	1.0 x 10-6		۰	•
Side POWER LOAD-Mw.	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>			
Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	151.9 4.4	131.0 4.4	131.6 4.4	131.6 4.4
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sef				
G-74 Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	55.2 4900 10619	41.8 4850 10004	59.0 4900 10168	58.5 5005 11105
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# CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800, 1-9-47 to 0800, 1-10-47

#### PART I

### Summary of Events

Diversion Control - The Plant II area was restricted under the terms of the diversion control program at 2300. However, difficulties encountered in the badge exchange system made it necessary to lift the area restrictions temporarily, until these difficulties can be corrected.

The relamping schedule has been revised in Plant II to coincide with the diversion control program. One man will be assigned to each area for dayshift work. Relamping within the RR area will be done every two weeks.

Standard Operating Procedures - A revised procedure is being issued on "Radiation Emergency". Under the terms of the new procedure, personnel in the affected areas will be evacuated to the K-1029 building, regardless of the location of the radiation. The procedure has also been revised to conform to Plant II diversion control precautions.

A new procedure is being issued entitled "K-27 Emergency Reduction of Load Supplied by TVA". It presents the methods of reducing K-27 power load by dropping blocks of 50 megawatts, in one or two steps, if an emergency occurs in the TVA system.

Procedures "Coolant Circulating Pump Failure", "Operation of K-311-1 Intersectional Cell", and "Operation of Kinney Vacuum Pumps", are being withdrawn for revision to conform with the Operations Department decision to discontinue hand rotation checks while equipment is "racked in".

Operations - The following cells were returned to normal cascade operation on completion of the scheduled converter changes

K-306-3.2 on at 1210 K-306-1.14 on at 1345 K-306-3.4 on at 1420 K-306-4.4 on at 1515

K-402-5.7 was taken off-stream at 2245 for the replacement of the present converters converters.

K-306-4.13, K-306-3.3, K-305-10.10 and K-306-1.8 were off-stream for static instrument checks. K-306-6.2 was taken off-stream at 0615 in preparation for a dynamic instrument check.

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K-306-5.13 was found to be tied into cells K-306-5.11 and K-306-5.5 through the line recorder manifold of the building station, accounting for the nitrogen leakage into the cascade during the purge operations in this cell on January 9. Cells 8 and 10 in building K-306-3, which had been isolated with nitrogen resulting from the cascade split during the inleakage from K-306-5.13, were returned to normal operation by 0930.

Extensive purge operations have been underway on the evacuation header in K-311-1 in an attempt to get a negative analysis on the line. Indications are that the line was subjected to C-616 accumulation while in service between K-311-1 and K-601. At present the line is being purged to the cold traps of the K-302-5 purge and product room.

Preparations have been made to test the effectiveness of the side purge building when controlled on a basis of concentration reported by the thermal-conductivity cell in K-305-12. In this method of operation, the rate of side purging would also vary with the amount of light contaminants traveling up the cascade, but the response of the side purge rate to slugs would be more immediate than when controlled by the A.G.A. in K-312-2.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.0%.

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## PART II DAILY PRODUCTION REPORT

Day Ending 0700, 1-10-47

	Fo-day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - KgT C-2035 C-5327	2.77 1 <b>5</b> 27.57		26.52 13106.53	672691.84
				Stock Feed Rm. & Storage
USAGES - KgT K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste C-934	1307.68	-	12876.58	115130.38 24473.35 1913.83 76853.92 223.86
SHIPMENTS - KgT C-2035	2.50		25.96	
INTERPLANT FLOY:		Daily Avg. This Month		
KgT K-402-9 Conc. K-311-1 Conc.	2 <b>82</b> 2 3 <b>321541</b> 2240383	2822 1111400 1110380		
PURGE RATES-Sof/day  K-312-1 (Top)  K-312-2 (Side)	633 3548	3 <b>994</b>		
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>		Ne.
POWER LOAD-Mw. Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	132.1 4.3	131.7 4.4		
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sof/	nin.			
G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	50.1 5033 10332	35.9 5046 11385		
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### CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION

## PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 1-8-47 to 0800 1-9-47

#### PART I

### Summary of Events

Diversion Control - Effective 2300 January 9, the Plant II R area will be restricted under the diversion control terms previously outlined. Area 6 employees will exchange their plant badges for Plant II yellow background badges at portal #1; Area 5 employees at portal #2; and area 4 employees at portal #3. Employees not regularly employed in Plant II who have necessary work to perform there will enter the area through one of the Plant II portals. The clerk at the portal will call the central verification office to insure that the employee is authorized to enter Plant II and upon approval, will issue in exchange for the employee's identification badge, a temporary white identification button and pass showing the employee's name, security number, destination and reason for being in Plant II. Plant Bulletin AI - #2 has been distributed to clarify the system. A series of meetings have been held by day supervision with employees to present and further clarify the contents of this bulletin.

Operations - In order to clarify the operations in the K-312 section, as reported January 7, performed to permit repairs to the tops flow control valve in K-512-2, this summary of operations is reported to date. Previous to these changes the tops flow from K-312-2 was normal to the building purge pumps and the tops flow from K-312% was diverted to the feed header of the K-312-2 pumps also. On the 8-4 shift, January 7, the tops flow of K-312-1 was returned to the purge facilities of K-312-1, while the tops flow of K-512-2 remained the same. During the 8-4 shift of January 8, the tops flow of K-312-2 was changed to the purge facilities of K-312-3 and repairs were made to the tops flow control valve in K-312-2. At this time the tops flow of K-512-1 remained to the K-312-1 facilities. Upon completion of the repairs, the tops flow of K-312-2 was returned to it's building purge facilities. This method of operation continued through the report period. It is expected that the tops flow of K-312-1 will again be changed to the feed header of the K-512-2 purge pumps, thereby returning the purge system to it's previous method of operationo

The following cells were taken off-stream for the listed converter changes being made on a basis of abnormal confirmed plugs.

K-306-1.14	Stages	3 <sub>0</sub> 4 <sub>0</sub>
K-306-4-4	H T	δ.
K-306-5.11	**	1, 2, 4, 6.
K-306-5.13	*	1, 5, 6.

E-306-4.7 was returned to cascade operation at 1200, upon completion of the converter changes.

K-305-8.8 and K-306-5.12 were off-stream for instrument checks and alignwments.

Upon indication of a high nitrogen inleakage which was rapidly displacing inventory in K-306-4 and K-306-5, these buildings were isolated on inverse recycle at 0520 and 0530 respectively. The inleakage was found to be coming from K-306-5, which at this time was at atmospheric pressure for a negative analysis sample. The cell was immediately dumped to the surge system, which stopped the pressure rise in K-306-5. K-306-5 and K-306-4 were returned to normal operation at 0625 and 0640 respectively. Cells 8 and 10 in K-306-3 were isolated with nitrogen accumulated during the cascade split.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.0%.

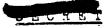
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Day Ending 0700, 1-9-47

	To-day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
<u>PRODUCTI OH KeT</u> C-2035 C-5327	2.77 1223.65		23.75 11578.96	6771164.99
USACES - KoT K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste C-934	1303.48		11568.90	Stock Feed Rm. & Storage 115191.71 25784.67 1913.83 76853.92 223.86
SHIPMENTS - KAT C-2035	2.32		23.46	
INTERPLANT FLOR KgT K-402-9 Cone. K-311-1 Cone.	2822 8861415 1180427	2822 1111 380 111 0380		
PURCE RATES - Sof/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	300 <b>*</b> 31.37	275 ** 3902		
CONC. C-616 IN PURCE CASCADE Top Side	1.0x10 <sup>-6</sup> 1.0x10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0:10 <sup>-6</sup>		
POWER LOAD - WW Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	132.0 4.4	131.6 4.4		
G-74 AND DRY AIR #Sof. G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	/min 34.9 5221 9758	34.1 5048 11517		•
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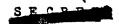
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## CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800, 1-7-47 to 0800 1-8-47

### PART I Summary of Events

Operations - The purge pumps in K-312-1 were started and the tops flow from K-312-1 and K-312-2 was changed to the feed header of these pumps by 1510. Prior to this change the tops flow of both buildings was to the purge pumps of K-312-2. The change was made to permit repairs to the the K-312-2 tops flow control valves.

/K-306-4.7, K-306-3.2 and K-306-3.4 were taken off-stream for converter changes on a basis of abnormal confirmed plugs. Converters of stages 1 and 6, 3 and 5, 1 and 5, respectively are being replaced.

K-306-6.6, K-306-6.4 and K-306-1.8 were offstream for instrument checks and alignments.

The installation of was completed in K-402-5.5 and the cell was returned to normal operation at 0500.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.5%.

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Day Ending 0700, 1-8-47

	Day Fuging 0100 1 200-11			1-0-41
	To day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stook Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - KgT C-2035 C-5327	2.60 <b>137</b> 5.45	• .	20.98 10355.31	669942.75
TOLOTO T-B	•			Stock Feed Rm. & Storage
USAGES - KgT E-25 Waste C-316 C-936 S-50 Waste C-934	1304.84	<del></del>	10265.42	115191.71 27088.16 1913.83 76853.92 223.86
		To Date This Week		Difference to Ship
SHIPMENTS - KgT C-2035	6.13		21.14	
		Daily Avg. This Month		•
INTERPLANT FLOW  KgT  K-402-9 Conc.  K-511-1 Conc.	2822 2281407 1200389	2822 1111380 1110380		
FURGE RATES-Sof/day K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	250 <b>*</b> 3800 <b>*</b>	4011		
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> 1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>		
FOWER LOAD-Now Total V.F. Total 120 V. F.	181.6 4.4	131.6 4.4		
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G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sef/mi G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	39.0 5091 10660	34.0 5023 11768		

\* Approximate breakdown

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#### CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORFORATION

### PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 1-6-47 to 0800 1-7-47

#### PART I

### Summary of Events

Operations - Stage pressures in building K-308-6 were

order to operate closer to optimum conditions for production at the present tops concentration. During the major pressure change program in November, the stage pressures had been but were later to increase the rate of tops concentration rise.

K-402-5.5 was taken off-cascade at 2245. The present converters are being replaced as a continuation of the program for installation of improved barrier for test purposes.

The converter change in K-306-6.12 was completed and the cell was back on-stream by 0700.

✓ K-306-6.9 and K-306-6.7 were off-cascade for instrument alignments.

The frequency of the side purge building, K-512-2, was raised from 40 to 45 cycles during the 8-4 shift to facilitate the evacuation of the Plant II Surge System. The frequency was returned to normal by 1540.

Diversion Control - As previously mentioned, under the standardised ventilation set up in Plant II some of the louvres in the withdrawal alley have been sealed closed. Those that will remain open are being covered with a wire mesh to prevent access, or material transfer, between the basement and the RR area.

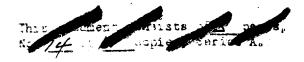
The stream efficiency for the separating cascade was 99.3%.

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Day Ending 0700, 1-7-47

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To≎day	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage		
2. 73		18.38			
1386.80		8979.86	668567.30		
			Stock Feed Rm. & Storage		
1314.95		8960.58	115191.71 28406.44 1913.83 76853.92 223.86		
	To Date This Week		Difference to Ship		
5.62		15.01			
	Daily Avg. This Month				
2822	2822				
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1.0 x 10-	6 1.0 x 10-6		· ·		
131.9 4.4	131.6 4.4				
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4970 11603	5012 1 <b>19</b> 53	•			
	2.73 1386.80  1314.95  5.62  2822 3341443 6680427	To-day This Month  2.73 1386.80  To Date This Week  5.62  Daily Avg. This Month  2822 2822 3341443 1111380 6680427 1110380  5492 4046  1.0 x 10-6 131.9 4.4 4.4  Anin. 38.0 4970 5012	To-day This Month This Month  2.73 1386.80  1314.95  To Date This Week  5.62  Daily Avg. This Week  5.62  Daily Avg. This Month  2822 2822 3341443 1111380 6680427 1110380		



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### CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION

## PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 1-3-47 to 0800 1-6-47

### PART I

### Summary of Events

Operations - Building K-402-4 was isolated at 0910, 1-3-47, for a separation performance, psi (5), test of the recently installed in the even cells. The building was set up on direct recycle with cell 3 as the top, and allowed to operate approximately three hours to establish equilibrium conditions. A series of simultaneous samples were then taken from the top of cell 2 and cell 9. The difference in the U 235 analyses from the top of cell 2 and cell 9. The difference in the U 235 analyses across these cells will represent the separation performance of the The test was completed and the building returned to normal operation by 1715. The crude feed point was shifted from K-402-4.2 to K-402-5.1 during the test period.

K-306-1.10 and K-306-6.10 were off-stream on January 3 for static instrument checks.

K-306-6.14 and K-305-11.9 were returned to normal operation, January 4, on completion of the converter changes previously reported. K-506.6.12 was isolated at 0250, 1-6-47, for replacement of stage 1, 4 and 6 converters on a basis of confirmed abnormal plugge.

The stage pressures of K-306-1.5 were and K-305-12.6 was stages to smooth out the operation of K-312-2.

K-305-12.4 on all

The stream efficiencies for the separating cascade were:

Day Ending 0800	Efficiency
	98.6%
1-5-47	99.8%
1-4-47	99.8%
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From 0700, 1-3-47 to 0700, 1-6-47

N. Carlotte and Ca	Three Day	Daily Avg.	To Date	Stock
	Total	This Month	This Month	Ship Storage
PRODUCTION - KgT	0.05		15.65	
C-5327	9 <b>.</b> 05 3890, 23		7593 <sub>9</sub> 06	667180.50
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USAGES - KgT		,		Feed Rm. & Storage
K-25 Waste C-616	3003 00		7645。63	29857.34
C=936	3921.26		1020900	1913.85
S-50 Waste		<del>-</del>		76853.92
C-934		:		223.86
	,	To Date		D1 00
		This Week		Difference to Ship
SHIPMENTS - KgT	0.43		9.39	•
C-2035	2.41		3+ 35	
• •	Day Ending			Daily Avg.
	0700,1-4-47	0700, 1-5-47	0700,1-6-47	This Month.
INTERPLANT FLOW			0000	222
KgT	2822	2822	2822 6701329	2822 1111360
K-402-9 Conc. K-311-1 Conc.	1121351	7781387	1160335	1110380
R-311-1 CORG.	2260365	3380377	1100322	111000
PURGE RATES-Sef/day				•
K-312-1 (Top)	<del>-</del>	•	•	-
K-312-2 (Side)	4046	4218	2472	3757
CONC. C-616 IN				
PURGE CASCADE				
Тор	. •	•	<b>₩</b> 30-	•
Side	1.0 x 10-6	$1.0 \times 10^{-6}$	1.0 x 10-6	3 1.0 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>
POWER LOAD-Mw.			• _	
Total V.F.	151.2	131.6	131.8	131.5
Total 210 V.F.	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4
				• •
G-74 AND DRY AIR-Sof/				<b></b>
G-74 Rate	36.1	50.1	31.7	<b>32.2</b>
Dry Air Rate	5154	4858	4950	5020
Ambient Air Rate	11275	12546	11890	12023
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#### CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION

### PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 1-2-47 to 0800 1-3-47

#### PART I

#### Summary of Events

Operations - While the Flant II surge system was being evacuated through the side purge building, K-312-2, trouble was encountered in maintaining normal cascade purging operations. Nitrogen from K-305-12 was diverted to the K-306 section, causing cascade splits to be effected periodically. In an attempt to remedy this situation, K-305-12.4 and 6 were changed to automatic proportional response. Stage pressures in K-305-12.6 were to decrease the stream concentration of nitrogen at the point of take off to K-306-1. The feed to K-306-1 was throttled to maintain normal upflow. Pressures in K-305-12.4 were reduced to lower the feed pressure of K-312-2 which was at this time than the tops pressure of K-312-1. The cell pressure was

A change was made from automatic to proportional response because of erratic operation under the former condition.

Product withdrawal was curtailed during the report period because of nitregen accumulation in K-306-7 down through cell 11. By 0500 the building was sufficiently purged to resume product withdrawal. The difficiency will be made up during the next report period in order to keep the amount of product withdrawn parallel with the commitments.

K-305-11.9 was taken off-stream at 1110 for replacement of number 2 and 5 converters, as these stages were abnormally plugged.

K-306-1.5 was off-cascade from 0825 to 1505 for an instrument alignment.

A series of psi (Ψ), separation performance, tests will be made on improved types of barrier recently installed, or to be installed in the near future, in K-27. To date. has been installed in the even cells of K-402-4, and has been installed in K-402-5.1 and 5. The remainder of the odd cells in K-402-5 will be changed to and the

even cells of the building will be equipped with separation performance test is to be made on each type of barrier under the same conditions to determine which type of barrier yields best plant performance. These results, coupled with results of tests run in the pilot plant, will be used to determine which of the present barrier production facilities shall be maintained in standby condition as a future source of supply. The first test, to be run on the TL units in K-402-4, will be started on January 5. The operational methods will be reported as the test progresses.

The stream efficiency of the separating cascade was 99.4%.

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Day Ending 0700, 1-3-47

	Tomday.	Daily Avgo This Honth	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
PRODUCTICE - K-T C-2035 C-5327	2.09 1330.27		6.60 3702.83	663294.12
USACES = KoT X-25 Naste C-616 C-936 S-50 Naste C-934	1329.56		3124.31	Stock Feed Rm. & Storage 115191.71 33789.66 1913.83 76853.92 223.86
SHIPPENTS - KeT	2.42	D-43	6.98	
INTERPLANT FLOW  KgT  K-402-9 Conc.  K-311-1 Conc.	2 <b>822</b> 6621381 8830412	Daily This Ho 2822 1151394 1120391	nth	
FURCE RATES - Sef/dex K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	<u>43</u> 90	4024		
CONC., E-616 IN PURGE CASCADE Top Side	1.0x10-6	1.0x10*	-6	
POWER LOAD - Har Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	131.4 4.3	131.5 4.4		
G-74 AND DRY AIR -S G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rato	33.0 5287	31.6 5069 12201		•

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# CARBIDE AND CARBON CHEMICALS CORPORATION PROCESS DIVISION OPERATIONS 0800 12-31-46 to 0800 1-2-47

### PART I

### Summary of Events

Molecular Interchange - The material from the test in K-306-5.4 was evacuated and purged to the surge system. The cell was returned to normal case cade operation at 2145, 12-31-46.

The test in K-303-4.3 was concluded when the concentration reached a definite equilibrium. Material balance calculations on this test closely substantiated the results of similar test runs in K-306-6.2 and K-306-5.4. The inventory of the cell was partially evacuated to carbon traps, and purged to the surge system, allowing the cell to be put back on the case cade by 0655, 1-1-47.

Operations - The regular monthly plant inventory was taken at 1100, 12-31-46. Grude feed, waste condensation, and product withdrawal were stopped from 1045 to 1240.

Starting at 1300, 12-31-46, the bottoms concentration of the side purge building, K-312-2, was slowly raised from 34% to 95%. The cascade was split at K-305-12, between 1330 and 1530, to stop the upflow of light contaminants to the K-306 Section. Various adjustments were made through the report period to obtain normal upflow to the K-306 Section, to optimize the feed points, to obtain optimum evacuation of the Plant II surge system. By 0800, 1-2-47, operation under the 95% bottoms concentration was functioning smoothly. The suction to K-312-2 was the feed to K-306-1 was from K-305-12.6.1; the return was to K-305-12.6.6. This increase in bottoms concentration will allow cells in K-312-2 to be shut down, thereby aiding diversion control by reducing operations, as well as increasing the efficiency of the purge operations.

The variable frequency of the K-25 Plant, except the K-306 Section, was raised one cycle between 2217 and 2227, 12-31-46, restoring all sections to normal operation. Powerhouse Boiler #3 was put back on the line upon completion of the scheduled maintenance, as the defective mill was still under repair.

K-306-7.6 was returned to cascade operation upon completion of the control valve replacement. Cell 8 was again set up for product withdrawal at 1310, 12-31-46.



K-306-6.14 was taken off-stream at 0300, 1-2-47, in preparation for number 1 and 3 converter replacements. These units are to be replaced on the basis of abnormal confirmed plugs.

The stream efficiencies of the separating cascade were:

Day Ending 0700	Efficiency
1-1-47	99.47
1-2-47	99.87

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DAILY	PART II PRODUCTION	REPORT

From 1100, 12-31-46 To 0700, 1-2-47

PRODUCTION - KgT	<u>Total</u>	Daily Avg. This Month	To Date This Month	Stock Ship Storage
C-2035 C-5327	4.51 2372.46		4.51 2372.46	<b>661</b> 965 <b>.</b> 21
USAGES . KgT				Stock Feed Rm. and Storage
K-25 Waste C-616 C-936 S-50 Waste C-934	2394.81		2394.81	115191.71 35136.12 1913.83 76853.92 223.86
SHIPPENTS - Ket		To Date This Neek		Difference to Ship
C-2035	4.56		4.56	
INTERPLANT FLOW	Day Ending 0700, 1-1-	Daily Avg.	Day Ending 0700, 1-2-	
KgT K-402-9 Conc. K-311-1 Conc.	2822 4481347 1170396	2822 1131312 1150284	2822 6651394 4430362	2822 1151394 1150364
PURGE RATES - Sof/day				
K-312-1 (Top) K-312-2 (Side)	2673	3562	3657	3657
CONC. C-616 IN PURGE CISC	CADE			* " <sub>1</sub>
Top Side	1.0 x 10-	1.0 x 10-6	1.0 x 10-	1.0 x 10-
POWER LOAD - My.				
Total V.F. Total 120 V.F.	128.5	131.4	131.5 4.4	131.5 4.4
G-74 AND DRY AIR - Sof/m	<u>in</u>			<b></b>
G-74 Rate Dry Air Rate Ambient Air Rate	30.1 4850 12628	35.5 5107 13549	30.1 4850 12669	30.1 4850 12669
FTHoffmanns bed JCLeycock :	21	03		

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